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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

The North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its Fiftieth Session at the Methodist Church, in the town of Reidsville, N. C., on Wednesday morning, December 1st, 1886, at 10 o'clock, Bishop JOHN C. GRANBERY presiding, who opened the Conference with religious services.

DONALD W. BAIN, Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll and the following responded:

Clerical—Robert O. Burton, Joseph H. Wheeler, Washington S. Chaffin, Nathan A. Hooker, T. Page Ricaud, Solomon H. Helsabeck, Nathan H. D. Wilson, Joseph B. Martin, William H. Bobbitt, Lingurn S. Burkhead, Paul J. Carraway, Zebedee Rush, George W. Ivey, Thomas W. Guthrie, Shockley D. Adams, James E. Mann, Isaac F. Keerans, Caswell W. King, Jesse S. Nelson, Simeon D Peeler, William S. Black, Jesse A. Cuninggim, Moses J. Hunt, Joseph C. Thomas, Thomas L. Triplett, Joseph Wheeler, Marquis L. Wood, J. B. Bobbitt, Robert G. Barrett, Alexander D. Betts, William C. Gannon, Samuel V. Hoyle, David R. Bruton, VanBuren A. Sharpe, G. W. Callahan, John R. Brooks, John W. Jenkins, Robert A. Willis, Bernice B. Culbreth, Peter L. Herman, R. T. N. Stephenson, Richard S. Webb, Franklin H. Wood, James D. Carpenter, Thomas J. Gattis, William H. Moore, Wesley M. Robey, Alexander R. Raven, Edwin A. Yates, John C. Hartsell, Thomas A. Boone, George F. Round, Martin V. Sherrill, Joseph R. Griffith, Maxwell H. Hoyle, Leonidas W. Crawford, John F. Heitman, Joseph J. Renn, Albert G. Gantt, Junius T. Harris, Frank L. Reid, James Willson, Robah F. Bumpass, John T. Bagwell, Frederick D. Swindell, Philip Greening, William C. Norman, Jonathan Sanford, Lucian J. Holden, P. F. W. Stamey, James R. Scroggs, Christie A. Gault, Marcus W. Boyles, James M. Lumley, Nathaniel M. Jurney, Jeremiah F. Craven, William S. Rone, John T. Gibbs, Leonidas L. Nash, Benjamin R. Hall, Jonathan B. Carpenter, Franklin A. Bishop, Walter S. Creasy, William B. Doub, James T. Lyon, George W. Hardison, Thomas H. Pegram, Nereus E. Coltrane, Joseph C. Rowe, Pinckney L. Groome, Rufus C. Beaman, Andrew P. Tyer, Ludolphus E. Thompson, Daniel L. Earnhardt, Matthew H. Moore, James O. Guthrie, J. Edwin Thompson, Frank L. Townsend, Francis B. McCall, William L. Cuninggim,

William S. Hales, Thomas A. Stone, John T. Finlayson, Joseph D. Arnold, Daniel A. Watkins, John W. Jones, Robert L. Warlick, William B. North, James T. Kendall, Walter T. Cutchin, Jesse H. Page, James F. Washburn, Charles P. Show, Robert M. Hoyle, William L. Grissom, John T. Abernethy, Edward L. Pell, George A. Oglesby, James E. Gay, John H. Hall, Clayter W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Isaac A. White, Alpheus McCullen, Charles W. Byrd, Jacob A. Lee, Marcus D. Giles, Thomas S. Ellington, Barzilia C. Allred, James A. Bowles, Robert P. Troy, John E. Underwood, James M. Ashby, Daniel H. Tuttle, Hugh M. Blair, John B. Hurley, Roderick B. John, Frank M. Shamberger, Marshall A. Smith, Thomas J. Daily, Wesley M. Bagby, Oliver Ryder.

LAY DELEGATES.

Raleigh District—D. W. Bain, Arthur Arrington, Millard Mial alternate in place of J. A. Stallings.

Durham District—W. F. Stroud, J. H. Southgate, A. G. Headen, J. A. Waller.

Greensboro District—J. C. Pinnix, E. E. Gray alternate in place of C. H. Ireland.

Salisbury District—M. L. Holmes, W. T. Tucker, A. L. Coburn.

Shelby District—J. S. Martin.

Charlotte District—J. M Dunlap, J. A. Ardrey, J. H. Winchester.

Fayetteville District—K. H. Worthy, R. D. Phillips, H. C. Wall alternate in place of F. B. Gibson.

Wilmington District—A. J. Johnson, W. J. Parker, W. M. Parker alternate in place of W. S. Dosher, D. C. Geddie alternate in place of J. C. Davis.

New Berne District—T. A. Green, A. C. Davis.

Warrenton District—John F. Bruton, G. T. Simmons.

Washington District—E. C. Glenn, Wm. Lowe alternate in place of J. M. Benson.

Trinity College District—F. E. Asbury, C. F. Siler, W. A. Woolen.

On motion of E. A. YATES, DONALD W. BAIN was elected Secretary.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, W. L. CUNINGGIM was elected Assistant Secretary.

On motion of D. W. BAIN, J. B. CARPENTER and N. M. JURNEY were elected Statistical Secretaries, and G. T. SIMMONS was elected Recording Secretary.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, the space midway between the third and fourth windows was designated the bar of the Conference.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, the hours for opening and adjournment of Conference were fixed respectively at 9½ o'clock A. M., and 1 o'clock P. M.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, J. A. CUNINGGIM, D. R. BRUTON and J. G. STAPLES were appointed the committee on Public Worship.

On motion of R. G. BARRETT, the Presiding Elders were constituted a committee to nominate Standing Committees of the present session of the Conference.

R. S. WEBB moved that the chairmen of the Examining Committees be appointed a committee to nominate the Examining Committees for the ensuing four years.

R. O. BURTON moved as a substitute, that the Presiding Elders, with the concurrence of the Bishop, nominate said committees, which was adopted.

A communication from Rev. DAVID MORTON, D.D., Corresponding Secretary of the Church Extension Board of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was read and referred to the Board of Church Extension.

A communication from Rev. J. B. MCFERRIN, D. D., Trustee of the Calvin Fund, stating the proportionate amount of the interest on said fund due the Widows and Orphans of this Conference for the current Conference year to be $39.00, and enclosing draft for that amount, was read and referred to the Joint Board of Finance.

Question 6 was called, viz: Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

The Bishop announced the transfer of JAMES B. BOBBITT from the Baltimore Conference.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, D. H. TUTTLE was appointed to receive the amounts due from members of this Conference to the Publishing House.

Question 20th was called, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The name of JOHN T. BAGWELL, an elder of the Greensboro District, was called.

J. A. CUNINGGIM, Presiding Elder of the Greensboro District, announced that, during the interval of the Annual Conference, he had received reports against the moral character of JOHN T. BAGWELL, and appointed a committee of investigation, composed of nine traveling elders, who, after due investigation, had suspended the said JOHN T. BAGWELL and formulated charges of immorality, and appointed JAMES E. MANN prosecutor.

He now presented to the Conference the papers in the case.

N. H. D. WILSON moved that a committee of thirteen elders be appointed by the Bishop to try the case, which motion was adopted.

The call of Question 20th was renewed.

ISAAC F. KEERANS, WILLIAM H. CALL, THOMAS C. MOSES, ELISHA J. EUDAILY and JAMES WILLSON passed the examination of character and their applications for a supernumerary relation were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

SQUIRE M. DAVIS passed the examination of character.

GEORGE E. WYCHE, WILLIS S. HALTOM, DANIEL CULBRETH, JAMES W. RANDALL, MILES FOY, WILLIAM W. ALBEA, THOMAS L. HOYLE, GASTON FARRAR, EDWARD HOWLAND, JOSEPH H. WHEELER, MARCUS C. THOMAS, HILARY T. HUDSON, CLARENDON M. PEPPER, THOMAS S. CAMPBELL, HENRY H. GIBBONS and CHARLES M. ANDERSON passed the examination of character and their applications for a superannuated relation were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

JOHN W. JENKINS passed the examination of character.

Rev. J. WALTER DICKSON, of the South Carolina Conference,

Rev. W. L. WRIGHT, Pastor of the Baptist Church of Reidsville, N. C., and

Rev. J. H. LAMBERTH, Pastor of the Baptist Church of Roxboro, N. C., were introduced to the Conference.

A communication from Rev. J. B. McFERRIN, D. D., Book Agent, accompanying statements of the Agent and Business Manager, and report of the Book Committee, of the Publishing House of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was received and referred to the committee on Books and Periodicals.

A communication from Rev. I. G. JOHN, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was received and referred to the Board of Missions.

Question 20 was recalled, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders passed the examination of character:

RALEIGH DISTRICT—N. H. D. Wilson, W. C. Norman, W. L. Cuninggim, J. B. Martin, Philip Greening, J. J. Renn, T. A. Boone, N. E. Coltrane, J. E. Thompson, I. W. Avent, D. A. Watkins, F. L. Reid.

DURHAM DISTRICT—W. S. Black, W. S. Creasy, L. E. Thompson, J. R. Griffith, L. L. Nash, L. L. Johnson, B. R. Hall, R. T. N. Stephenson, A. W. Mangum.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—J. E. Mann, T. H. Pegram, John Tillett, M. J. Hunt, J. R. Scroggs, S. H. Helsabeck, R. G. Barrett, D. R. Bruton, J. D. Buie, J. C. Thomas.

The application of I. W. AVENT for a supernumerary relation was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

The application of JOHN TILLETT for a superannuated relation was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

The Conference adjourned with the Long Metre Doxology, and benediction by the Bishop.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, December 2d, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services, conducted by Rev. T. A. BOONE.

The roll was called and the following responded in addition to those present yesterday:

Clerical—C. M. Pepper, W. C. Willson, John E. Thompson, Lucius E. Stacy, James H. Cordon, T. J. Browning, J. N. Cole, A. M. Lowe.

Lay—Raleigh District—R. H. Whitaker.

Statesville District—G. W. Sparger, J. B. Connelly.

Charlotte District—J. H. Winchester.

Trinity College District—J. R. Evans, alternate in place of R. H. Skeen.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, the calling of the roll was dispensed with after this day.

The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, the hour of 10 o'clock to-morrow morning was set apart for the consideration of the interests of Trinity College.

Mr. L. D. PALMER, Business Manager of the Publishing House of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented to the Conference, who addressed the body in the interests of the House.

N. H. D. WILSON, from the committee of Presiding Elders, presented the following nominations of committees, which were confirmed:

ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Clerical—W. C. Norman, W. S. Creasy, J. R. Scroggs, G. A. Oglesby, A. P. Tyer, T. J. Daily, R. S. Webb, J. T. Gibbs, E. A. Yates, R. C. Beaman, L. J. Holden, T. J. Gattis, W. T. Cutchin.

Laymen—Millard Mial, W. F. Stroud, E. E. Gray, W. T. Tucker, J. B. Connelly, J. S. Martin, W. J. Boylin, H. C. Wall, A. J. Johnson, A. C. Davis, George T. Simmons, E. C. Glenn, F. E. Asbury.

ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Clerical—J. B. Martin, J. R. Griffith, J. C. Thomas, Joseph Wheeler, M. V. Sherrill, J. C. Hartsell, F. B. McCall, F. L. Townsend, I. A. White, A. D. Betts, W. B. North, J. O. Guthrie, S. V. Hoyle.

Laymen—Arthur Arrington, A. G. Headen, C. B. Watson, Eli Lentz, G. W. Sparger, D. E. Field, J. A. Ardrey, R. D. Phillips, D. C. Geddie, T. A. Green, J. F. Bruton, M. J. Norman, J. R. Evans.

ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Clerical—J. D. Arnold, L. E. Thompson, M. J. Hunt, G. F. Round, W. M. Bagby, C. G. Little, J. E. Thompson, J. T. Finlayson, R. L. Warlick W. J. Crowson, B. B. Holder, E. L. Pell, S. D. Peeler.

Laymen—D. W. Bain, J. A. Waller, D. E. Field, M. L. Holmes, Francis Miller, J. S. Martin, J. M. Dunlap, A. F. Page, A. J. Johnson, J. W. Grainger, N. P. Boddie, William Lowe, C. F. Siler.

On Conference Relations.

J. E. Thompson, R. T. N. Stephenson, R. G. Barrett, Zebedee Rush, G. W. Ivey, J. M. Lumly, M. H. Moore, L. E. Stacy, Daniel May, L. W. Crawford, A. R. Raven, T. P. Ricaud, F. H. Wood.

On Memoirs.

P. F. W. Stamey, L. S. Burkhead, Zebedee Rush, Joseph H. Wheeler.

On District Conference Records.

W. C. Willson, C. W. Byrd, F. M. Shamburger, H. C. Wall, J. H. Southgate.

On Temperance.

Clerical—Philip Greening, R. B. John, R. P. Troy, T. A. Stone, J. T. Abernathy, G. W. Callahan, G. W. Hardison, W. S. Chaffin, A. G. Gantt, J. F. Washburn, J. N. Cole, B. B. Culbreth, J. E. Gay.

Laymen—R. H. Whitaker, J. H. Southgate, E. E. Gray, Eli Lentz, P. G. Moore, Thos. E. Field, J. H. Winchester, K. H. Worthy, W. M. Parker, A. C. Davis, G. T. Simmons, E. C. Glenn, W. A. Woolen.

On motion of J. R. Brooks, it was ordered that a committee of seven be appointed on Colportage, to be nominated by the Presiding Elders.

Revs. W. W. Royall and J. J. Lafferty, of the Virginia Conference, and Rev. D. I. Craig, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Reidsville, N. C., were introduced to the Conference.

Question 2d was called, viz: Who remain on trial?

George Bascom Perry, Erskine Pope, William S. Davis, Solomon Pool, James Monroe Downum, Geo. W. Fisher, Robert M. Taylor, Joseph A. Green, Thomas C. Lovin, William H. Townsend, Curtis W. Godwin, Major T. Best, Theodore P. Bonner, Robert B. Gilliam, Amos Gregson and William A. Forbes passed the examination of character, were approved by the Examining Committee, and continued on trial.

William O. Hightower and Nathan Hall Guyton

passed the examination of character, but failing to appear before the Committee of Examination, were continued on trial in the class of the first year.

CHARLES JONES SOON, Missionary in China, passed the examination of character, and, without examination by the committee, was advanced to the class of the second year.

Rev. JAMES ATKINS, D. D., of the Holston Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

Question 8th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

MILES M. MCFARLAND, JOHN J. GRIGG, JOHN A. HORNADAY, SAMUEL R. BELK, WILLIAM F. COFFIN, DUNCAN A. FUTRELL, JOSEPH G. NELSON, JAMES R. BETTS, WILLIAM W. ROSE, and JOHN E. WOOSLEY, passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 2d was again called, viz: Who remain on trial?

BASCOM A. YORK passed the examination of character, was approved by the Examining Committee and continued on trial in the class of the second year.

The Bishop announced the following committee of trial in the case of JOHN T. BAGWELL:

P. L. Herman, T. A. Boone, W. C. Norman, G. W. Ivey, J. W. Jenkins, J. T. Gibbs, A. R. Raven, J. D. Arnold, W. S. Rone, T. J. Gattis, J. N. Cole, J. J. Renn and B. B. Culbreth. L. W. Crawford was appointed Chairman of this committee.

J. E. MANN was announced as prosecutor and W. M. ROBEY as counsel for the defence.

J. H. SOUTHGATE was elected an Assistant Secretary of the Conference, and appointed Secretary of this committee.

The Bishop announced the presence of Rev. J. WALTER DICKSON, Pastor of Spring Street M. E. Church, South, Charleston, S. C., who presented an appeal in behalf of the four congregations of the M. E. Church, South, of that city, for pecuniary aid in rebuilding or repairing their houses of worship, injured by the recent earthquakes. Responses

were made in cash, and subscriptions amounting to $500.00 received.

W. S. BLACK introduced the following resolutions, which were read and adopted, and on motion of R. O. BURTON, ordered to be published in the religious papers in this Conference:

Resolved 1st, That we cordially welcome to our midst Rev. J. Walter Dickson, of the South Carolina Conference, and that we have listened with great interest and sympathy to his graphic description of the wreck of the churches in Charleston, S. C., belonging to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, from the earthquake shocks which have so greatly afflicted that hospitable and heroic city.

Resolved 2d, That, as a further evidence of our kindly feelings, the members of the North Carolina Conference be and are hereby requested to take collections as early as possible, after reaching their fields of labor, wherever deemed advisable, to aid in repairing these damaged churches.

Resolved 3d, That the funds so raised be forwarded to Mr. Harvey Cogswell, Treasurer of the Repair Fund, Charleston, S. C.

(Signed) W. S. BLACK,
J. S. NELSON,
V. A. SHARPE.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

FRIDAY, December 3d, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. T. PAGE RICAUD.

The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

On motion of L. L. NASH, the special order for 10 o'clock, being the interests of Trinity College, was postponed until 11 o'clock.

Question 4th was called, viz: Who are admitted into full connection?

WILLIAM R. WARE, MILES M. MCFARLAND, JOHN J. GRIGG, JOHN A. HORNADAY, SAMUEL R. BELK, CONDOR P. JEROME, WILLIAM F. COFFIN, DUNCAN A. FUTRELL, JOSEPH G. NELSON, JAMES R. BETTS, WILLIAM W. ROSE, JOHN E. WOOSLEY and ALPHEUS E. WILEY, having passed the examination of character and been approved by the Examining Committee, were examined by the Bishop in open Conference and admitted into full connection.

Rev. JAMES ATKINS, D. D., representing the officers of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented and addressed the Conference on the subject of Foreign Missions.

The hour of 11 o'clock arrived and the order of the day was announced.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, Prof. W. H. PEGRAM, of Trinity College, was requested to address the Conference, and Prof. PEGRAM responded, presenting the claims of the College to patronage, and in reference to an endowment.

JULIAN S. CARR, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of Trinity College, submitted a report of the financial condition of the College, with a verbal appeal for its endowment.

R. O. BURTON introduced the following resolutions:

Resolved by the North Carolina Conference assembled in Reidsville, N. C., December 3rd, 1886, that, prompted by the fear of God and the good of the people of the State and the Church of God—also by an earnest desire to qualify our ministers to come and who shall occupy their high positions before the Israel of God and be the better qualified to meet growing demands for higher culture as society advances and as the gospel is shedding its light in the world, do hereby resolve:

1st. That we are deeply impressed that we ought and will begin or continue to use our efforts to endow Trinity College to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars during the Conference year 1887.

2d. That we will put such agent and agencies into vigorous operation for the securing of the moneys necessary and to be invested as a permanent endowment at interest, such interest only to be expended for the support of the professors of Trinity College.

3d. That, upon the endowment of the College, the ministers of the North

Carolina Conference shall have the privilege of educating their sons therein, free of tuition, with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

R. O. BURTON,
L. J. HOLDEN,
FRANK H. WOOD,
T. W. GUTHRIE.

Bishop GRANBERY presented the claims of the College in a fervent address and was heard with much interest.

The hour of 1 o'clock arrived, and, on motion of R. O. BURTON, the time of the session was extended.

R. S. WEBB moved that the resolutions and the subject under consideration be referred to the Board of Education.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, this motion was laid on the table.

R. O. BURTON moved that when the Conference adjourn, it do so to convene this afternnon at 3 o'clock, which motion prevailed.

N. H. D. WILSON, from the committee of Presiding Elders, nominated the following as the committee on Colportage, which were confirmed: J. B. BOBBITT, B. R. Hall, M. H. MOORE, J. C. ROWE, P. L. GROOME, G. A. OGLESBY and R. G. BARRETT.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, December 4th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. S. D. PEELER.

The Journal of yesterday afternoon's session was read and approved.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, G. A. OGLESBY was ex-

cused from service on the committee on Books and Periodicals, and W. L. GRISSOM appointed in his place.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, M. L. HOLMES, lay delegate from the Salisbury District, was granted leave of absence from and after to-day, and A. L. COBURN was appointed in his place on the committee on the Bible Cause.

Leave of absence was granted to W. A. WOOLEN, lay delegate from the Trinity College District, from and after to-day.

On motion of V. A. SHARPE, F. E. ASBURY was excused from service on the committee on Books and Periodicals, and J. R. EVANS appointed in his place.

On motion of V. A. SHARPE, the application of S. D. PEELER, for a superannuated relation, was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

Rev. T. M. JONES, D. D., President of Greensboro Female College, presented his report, which was referred to the Board of Education.

Question 7th was called, viz: Who are the deacons of one year?

MARCUS D. GILES, BARZILIA C. ALLRED, JAS. A. BOWLES, ROBERT P. TROY, JOHN E. UNDERWOOD, JAS. M. ASHBY, DANIEL H. TUTTLE, HUGH M. BLAIR, JOHN B. HURLEY, RODERICK B. JOHN, FRANK M. SHAMBERGER, MARSHALL A. SMITH and THOMAS J. DAILY, having been approved by the Examing Committee, and having passed the examination of character, were continued the deacons of one year.

THOMAS S. ELLINGTON, CHARLES C. BROTHERS and WILLIAM J. CROWSON passed the examination of character and were continued in the class of the third year.

THOMAS J. BROWNING passed the examination of character and was continued in the class of the fourth year.

Rev. W. G. STARR, D. D., of the Virginia Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

Question 12th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are elected elders?

JOHN H. HALL, CLATER W. SMITH, CHAS. O. DURANT, LAWRENCE O. WYCHE, EDWARD L. PELL, ALPHEUS MCCULLEN, ISAAC A. WHITE, JACOB A. LEE and CHARLES W. BYRD passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to elder's orders.

BARNA B. HOLDER, an elder, passed an examination of character, and an approved examination by the committee of the fourth year.

Question 10th was called, viz: What local preachers are elected deacons?

RICHARD H. WHITAKER, Edenton Street Station, Raleigh District;

ALEXANDER WALKER, Durham Station, Durham District;

ELWOOD E. SMITH, Yadkinville Circuit, Statesville District;

MILES H. LONG, Yadkinville Circuit, Statesville District, and

WILLIAM H. HARRELL, Scotland Neck Mission, Warrenton District,

having been recommended according to the Discipline, were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 14th was called, viz: What local preachers are elected elders?

WILLIAM H. PUCKETT, local deacon of Carteret Circuit, New Berne District, having been recommended according to the Discipline, and having subscribed to the doctrine and Discipline of the Church, was elected to elder's orders.

WILLIAM S. DAVIS, Durham Circuit, Durham District, admitted on trial at the last Annual Conference, and, having been a local deacon three years previous thereto, having been recommended according to the Discipline, and having subscribed to the doctrines and Discipline of the Church, was elected to elder's orders.

Question 5th was called, viz: Who are re-admitted?

ENOCH L. STAMEY, deacon, who was granted location at

his request, in 1884, having been recommended by the Quarterly Conference of Albemarle Circuit, Salisbury District, according to the Discipline, was readmitted.

Question 1st was called, viz: Who are admitted on trial?

EDWARD H. DAVIS, Youngsville Circuit, Raleigh District;

JOHN D. PEGRAM, Buckhorn Circuit, Raleigh District;

CHARLES W. ROBINSON, Greensboro Station, Greensboro District;

THOMAS N. IVEY, Mooresville Circuit, Statesville District;

ZAGHARIAH J. NEEDHAM, Mount Airy Circuit, Statesville District;

DOCTOR PINKNEY TATE, Forest City Circuit, Shelby District;

MARTIN T. STEELE, Happy Home Circuit, Shelby District;

RICHARD W. TOWNSEND, Robeson Circuit, Fayetteville District;

ZADOK PARIS, Onslow Circuit, Wilmington District;

DANIEL C. GEDDIE, Cokesbury Circuit, Wilmington District;

JAMES G. JOHNSTON, Goldsboro Station, New Berne District;

WILLIAM H. PUCKETT, Carteret Circuit, New Berne District;

HILLIARD M. EURE, Wilson Mission, Warrenton District;

GEORGE F. SMITH, Jackson Hill Circuit, Trinity College District, and

HENRY B. ANDERSON, Deep River Circuit, Trinity College District,

having been recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, and approved by the Examining Committee, were admitted on trial.

Question 3d was called, viz: Who are discontinued?

On motion of W. H. MOORE,

VALANCE G. ROLLINS was discontinued at his request.

On motion of J. A. CUNINGGIM, the Bishop was requested

to draw his draft on the Treasurer of the Board of Conference Trustees, in favor of the Chairman of the Joint Board of Finance, for the sum of four hundred and nine dollars and fifteen cents ($409.15.)

REV. W. F. STEELE, of Bennett Seminary of the M. E. Church, Greensboro, N. C., was introduced to the Conference.

Question 20th was again called, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders of the Salisbury District passed the examination of character:

W. H. Bobbitt, T. W. Smith, T. A. Stone, G. F. Round, W. C. Willson, Joseph Wheeler, W. L. Grissom, G. A. Oglesby, P. F. W. Stamey, Zebedee Rush and J. W. North.

J. D. ARNOLD, elder of Raleigh District, passed the examination of character, and passed an approved examination on the study of Church History.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, the application of T. W. SMITH for a supernumerary relation, was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

On motion of N. H. D. WILSON, the Joint Board of Finance was instructed to place the name of Mrs. JAMES MAHONEY on the roll of Conference claimants the present session.

The Conference adjourned with the Long Metre Doxology, and benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

MONDAY, December 6th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services, conducted by Rev. W. S. CHAFFIN.

The Journal of Saturday's session was read and approved.

Question 9th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on yesterday morning the following:

Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, James R. Betts, William W. Rose and John E. Woosley.

Question 11th was called, viz: What local preachers are ordained deacons?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on yesterday morning the following:

Richard H. Whitaker and Alexander Walker.

Question 13th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on last evening the following:

John H. Hall, Clater W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Edward L. Pell, Alpheus McCullen, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee and Charles W. Byrd.

Question 15th was called, viz: What local preachers are ordained elders?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on last evening the following:

William S. Davis and Wieliam H. Puckett.

A communication from Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald, D. D., Editor of the *Christian Advocate*, Nashville, Tenn., conveying his christian salutations to this Body, and representing the interests of the *Advocate*, was read.

J. F. Heitman presented the report of the committee of Management of Trinity College, which was read and, on motion of E. A. Yates, referred to the Board of Education.

A communication from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of North Carolina, addressed to this Body, was presented and, on motion of P. J. Carraway, referred to the committee on Temperance.

Question 20th was re-called, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders passed the examination of character:

STATESVILLE DISTRICT—R. A. Willis, J. H. Cordon, W. M. Bagby, A. P. Tyer, G. W. Ivey, M. V. Sherrill, C. M. Gentry, A. M. Lowe, J. T. Abernethy, J. C. Rowe, J. F. Craven, C. P. Snow and J. W. Puett.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—T. L. Triplett.

SHELBY DISTRICT—M. L. Wood, W. S. Rone, J. W. Wheeler, J. M. Lumley, J. C. Hartsell, J. B. Bailey, R. M. Hoyle, J. E. Bristowe, J. B. Carpenter, G. W. Callahan, C. A. Gault, C. G. Little, J. F. England, C. W. King and T. H. Edwards.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT—T. W. Guthrie, W. M. Robey, M. H. Hoyle, F. B. McCall, J. Ed. Thompson, Oliver Ryder, F. D. Swindell, W. C. Gannon, R. S. Webb, M. H. Moore and G. W. Hardison.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—S. D. Adams, J. T. Gibbs, W. S. Hales, J. T. Finlayson, Jonathan Sandford, J. T. Lyon, L. E. Stacy, J. H. Page, F. L. Townsend, W. B. Doub and W. S. Chaffin.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—P. J. Carraway, E. A. Yates, A. G. Gantt, J. T. Kendall, R. L. Warlick, J. L. Keen, Daniel May and J. C. Crisp.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, the Conference determined that, when it adjourns to-day, it do so to meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The call, under 20th question, was resumed, and following elders passed an examination of character:

NEW BERNE DISTRICT—J. T. Harris, L. W. Crawford, L. S. Burkhead, J. F. Washburn, R. C. Beaman, P. L. Groome, N. M. Jurney, P. L. Herman, N. A. Hooker, A. D. Betts, J. W. Jones and J. B. Bobbitt.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—J. S. Nelson, R. O. Burton, L. J. Holden, J. N. Cole, W. B. North, T. B. Reeks, J. R. Brooks, Z. T. Harrison, A. R. Raven and J. M. Rhodes.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—W. H. Moore, T. P. Ricaud, T. J. Gattis, B. B. Culbreth, J. O. Guthrie, F. A. Bishop and J. D. Carpenter.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT—V. A. Sharpe, F. H. Wood, S. V. Hoyle and D. L. Earnhardt.

L. L. NASH, representing REV. SAMUEL W. SMALL, Commissioner of Education for Paine Institute, addressed the Conference in behalf of that enterprise, and was followed by

Bishop GRANBERY commending it to the favor and support of the Conference.

R. O. BURTON moved that the session be extended ten minutes, which was not adopted.

On motion of V. A. SHARPE, L. L. NASH was permitted to take a collection privately for Paine Institute during the present session of the Conference.

Leave of absence was granted to J. E. THOMPSON, F. D. SWINDELL and F. E. ASBURY.

On motion of N. H. D. WILSON, W. C. NORMAN was excused from service on the committee on Books and Periodicals, and W. L. CUNINGGIM was appointed in his place.

The Bishop appointed REV. L. S. BURKHEAD, D. D., to preside at this afternoon's session of the Conference.

The L. M. Doxology was sung and Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

MONDAY, December 6th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 3 o'clock, Rev. L. S. BURKHEAD, D. D., in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. W. C. GANNON.

The journal of this morning's session was read and approved.

F. H. WOOD presented communications from the Woman's Christian Temperance Unions of Bush Hill and the city of Charlotte, addressed to this Body, which were, on motion, referred to the committee on Temperance.

On motion of J. B. CARPENTER, leave of absence was granted to J. E. BRISTOWE.

On motion of P. F. W. STAMEY, the hour of 12 o'clock M. to-morrow was set apart for memorial services.

J. B. BOBBITT, from the committee on Colportage, presented the report of that committee, which was read and,

on motion of F. A. BISHOP, made the special order for to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

W. S. CREASY presented the report of the Joint Board of Finance, which was considered and, on motion of L. L. NASH, recommitted to the Board for revision.

Leave of absence was granted to T. A. STONE, J. A. WALLER and R. H. WHITAKER from and after to-day.

Reports were submitted as follows and adopted:

By L. E. THOMPSON, from the committee on Bible Cause: (Document No. 1 of Appendix.)

By F. D. SWINDELL, report No. 1, from the Board of Missions: (Document No. 2 of Appendix.)

By C. W. BYRD, from the committee on District Conference Records: (Document No. 3 of Appendix.)

By R. H. WHITAKER, from the committee on Temperance: (Document No. 4 of Appendix.)

T. P. RICAUD introduced a resolution proposing to amend the report of the committee on Temperance in relation to communications from Woman's Christian Temperance Unions on the subject of memoralizing the General Assembly of North Carolina, concerning the introduction of certain text-books in the public schools of the State, which was read and referred to the committee on Temperance.

E. A. YATES submitted a report from the Sunday School Board, which was read and adopted: (Document No. 5 of Appendix.)

The L. M. Doxology was sung, and Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. L. S. BURKHEAD, D. D.

SIXTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

TUESDAY, December 7th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. S. H. HELSABECK.

The journal of yesterday afternoon's session was read and approved.

The following report of the committee in the case of JOHN T. BAGWELL, was presented through the Bishop:

TO THE BISHOP AND MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, IN SESSION AT REIDSVILLE, N. C., DEC. 6TH, 1886:

We, the committee appointed by Bishop J. C. GRANBERY, December 2nd, 1886, to try the Rev. J. T. BAGWELL, D. D., on a charge of immorality, beg leave to report that, after a long, searching and impartial hearing of the evidence and circumstances of the case, with much prayer for Divine guidance, do unanimously find the charge and specifications sustained, and, therefore, declare the said J. T. BAGWELL expelled from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

P. L. HERMAN,
W. C. NORMAN,
J. W. JENKINS,
A. R. RAVEN,
W. S. ROSE,
T. J. GATTIS,
T. A. BOONE,
G. W. IVEY,
J. T. GIBBS,
J. D. ARNOLD,
J. N. COLE,
J. J. RENN,
B. B. CULBRETH,
L. W. CRAWFORD, *President.*

The Bishop declared the said JOHN T. BAGWELL expelled from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

W. M. ROBEY, counsel for the defence, gave notice that the defence reserved the right of appeal, subject to its action hereafter.

Question 20th was recalled, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders passed an examination of character:

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT—J. E. Gay, S. D. Peeler, R. F. Bumpass, W. T. Cutchin, M. W. Boyles, J. F. Heitman.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—J. A. Cuninggim.

Question 1st was re-called, viz: Who are admitted on trial?

JOHN M. POOL having been recommended according to the Discipline by Jackson Hill Circuit, Trinity College District, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, was admitted on trial.

E. A. YATES presented a communication from Rev. C. H. WILEY, D. D., District Superintendent of the American Bible Society, expressing his regret at not being able to present an appeal in person in behalf of the Bible cause.

The special order for 10 o'clock, being the report of the committee on Colportage, was taken up. The report was read and adopted. (Document No. 6 of Appendix.)

On motion of J. A. CUNINGGIM, the application of D. R. BRUTON for a supernumerary relation was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

W. S. CREASY presented the report of the Joint Board of Finance, which was read and adopted.

The distributive sums were delivered to the claimants or their representatives in open Conference. (Report complete as Document No. 7 of Appendix.)

Question 27th was called, viz: What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Answer.—Seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500).

Question 28th was called, viz: What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Answer.—Received on foregoing account:

From the Districts	$5,250 22
Added amount from North Carolina Conference Trust Fund	409 15
Calvin Fund	39 00
Private Contributions	2 53
	$5,700 90

Distributed to claimants $5,700.46, including $39.00—Calvin Fund. Expense account forty-four cents.

Question 17th was called, viz: Who are supernumerary?

T. P. RICAUD, from the committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report recommending that ISAAC F. KEERANS, WILLIAM H. CALL, THOMAS C. MOSES, ELISHA J. EUDAILY, JAMES WILLSON, ISAAC W. AVENT, THOMAS W. SMITH and DAVID R. BRUTON be granted a supernumerary relation, which was adopted.

Question 18th was called, viz: Who are superannuated?

T. P. RICAUD, from the committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report recommending that GEORGE E. WYCHE, WILLIS S. HALTOM, DANIEL CULBRETH, JAMES W. RANDALL, MILES FOY, WILLIAM W. ALBEA, THOMAS L. HOYLE, GASTON FARRAR, EDWARD HOWLAND, JOSEPH H. WHEELER, MARCUS C. THOMAS, HILARY T. HUDSON, CLARENDON M. PEPPER, THOMAS S. CAMPBELL, HENRY H. GIBBONS, CHARLES M. ANDERSON, JOHN TILLETT, JAMES W. WHEELER and SIMEON D. PEELER be granted a superannuated relation, which was adopted.

J. R. GRIFFITH, from the Board of Education, submitted the report of the Board, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 8 of Appendix.)

R. O. BURTON introduced resolutions in relation to the endowment of Trinity College, which were read and, on motion of N. M. JURNEY, referred to the Board of Trustees of Trinity College.

L. J. HOLDEN, from the committee on Books and Periodicals, submitted a report, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 9 of Appendix.)

Question 31st was called, viz: Where shall the next Conference be held?

L. W. CRAWFORD nominated New Berne.

J. T. GIBBS nominated Fayetteville.

J. A. CUNINGGIM, representing the congregations of Greensboro and Winston, nominated those cities.

Fayetteville was selected, and, on motion of W. S. BLACK, the vote was made unanimous.

J. T. HARRIS, from the Presiding Elders, submitted the following nominations of Boards and Committees of Examination, for the next four years:

BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Clerical—T. J. Gattis, R. T. N. Stephenson, F. D. Swindell, Joseph Wheeler, T. A. Boone, G. W. Callahan, P. F. W. Stamey, W. B. Doub, E. A. Yates, J. T. Abernathy, J. N. Cole, J. D. Arnold and F. H. Wood.

Lay—Millard Mial, W. F. Stroud, J. G. Staples, W. R. Odell, P. G. Moore, L. J. Hoyle, John Robinson, H. C. Wall, W. M. Parker, W. F. Kornegay, T. P. Jerman, T. H. Gatlin and F. C. Robbins.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Clerical—J. F. Heitman, J. R. Griffith, L. S. Burkhead, W. C. Willson, W. C. Norman, J. M. Lumley, W. C. Gannon, Jonathan Sanford, J. L. Keen, W. M. Robey, A. R. Raven, W. H. Call and M. V. Sherrill.

Lay—B. F. Dixon, A. G. Headen, W. F. Alderman, H. W. Spinks, W. M. Robbins, D. Matt. Thompson, W. J. Boylin, F. B. Gibson, J. C. Davis, A. C. Davis, W. J. Gay, A. B. Nobles and R. W. Thomas.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

Clerical—L. J. Holden, M. H. Hoyle, T. H. Pegram, J. C. Rowe, J. T. Kendall, D. L. Earnhardt, A. P. Tyer, F. L. Townsend, C. M. Gentry, J. W. Jones, Philip Greening, J. O. Guthrie and M. W. Boyles.

Lay—W. S. Hester, U. M. Wahab, E. E. Gray, M. L. Holmes, M. O. Sherrill, J. T. Johnston, J. H. Winchester, R. D. Phillips, A. J. Johnston, W. A. Darden, E. A. Thorne, J. M. Benson and F. E. Asbury.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Clerical—J. Ed. Thompson, J. H. Hall, J. D. Buie, W. L. Grissom, W. M. Bagby, J. C. Hartsell, Alpheus McCullen, J. T. Lyon, R. L. Warlick, P. L. Herman, T. P. Ricaud, B. B. Culbreth and J. C. Thomas.

Lay—J. W. Hays, J. H. Southgate, C. H. Ireland, C. G. Montgomery, G. W. Sparger, J. W. Biggerstaff, W. H. Phifer, J. M. Lamb, D. B. Nicholson, J. W. Bryan, John Hadley, E. C. Glenn and I. L. Wright.

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

For Admission.—L. L. Nash, Chairman, J. B. Carpenter and J. E. Gay.

First Year.—R. C. Beaman, Chairman, C. W. Byrd and J. H. Cordon.

Second Year.—T. J. Gattis, Chairman, B. R. Hall and G. F. Round.

Third Year.—W. C. Norman, Chairman, W. S. Rone and R. F. Bumpass.

Fourth Year.—E. A. Yates, Chairman, M. H. Moore and J. T. Gibbs.

The Bishop announced the Joint Board of Finance, as follows:

Clerical—J. J. Renn, W. S. Creasy, A. D. Betts, G. W. Ivey, J. R. Scroggs, R. S. Webb, L. E. Stacy, A. G. Gantt, L. W. Crawford, G. F. Round, F. A. Bishop and R. M. Hoyle.

Lay—T. C. Williams, J. S. Carr, J. C. Pinnix, F. M. Johnston, J. B. Connelly, J. S. Martin, W. E. Ardrey, K. H. Worthy, W. J. Parker, T. A. Green, W. A. Johnston, N. M. Lawrence and O. W. Carr.

The special order for 12 o'clock, being Memorial services, was announced.

Question 19th was called, viz: What preachers have died during the year?

It was announced that JAMES MAHONEY and WILLIAM H. WATKINS had died.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Two stanzas were sung commencing:

"Let cares like a wild deluge come,"

and Rev. JOSEPH H. WHEELER led in prayer.

L. S. BURKHEAD read the memoir of JAMES MAHONEY:

MEMOIR OF JAMES MAHONEY.

Rev. James Mahoney was born in Sumpter county, S. C., August 12th, 1812. His parentage was of good stock, and it may be said of him, "that from his youth he knew the Scriptures." He professed religion at the age of 16 years, and began from that hour a consecrated service to his Lord—which only ended on earth with his long and useful life. He was licensed to exhort when quite a young man, and after a few years of excellent service as an exhorter, he was licensed to preach, and made full proof of his ministry as a local preacher, as the Lord gave him time and opportunity. For 11 years he was proof reader and local editor on the staff of the *Southern Christian Advocate*. In 1853 he moved to Wilmington, N. C., where he lived for 12 years, during which time he gave full proof of his ministry as local preacher and supply. Thence he moved, in 1865, to Greene county, N. C., where he proved himself most useful to all the churches within reach of his home. He was a model local preacher and never idle, but always diligent in the Master's vineyard. In 1869, feeling that God had called him to a larger field of usefulness and labor, he joined the North Carolina Conference at Newbern, N. C. He was from that Conference appointed to Williamston Circuit, where he remained during 1870–1871. In 1872 he traveled Stanly Circuit; 1873, Clinton Circuit; 1874, Cokesbury Circuit; 1875–1876, Carteret Circuit; 1877–1878, Columbia Circuit; 1879, Mt. Olive Circuit; 1880–1881, Neuse Circuit; 1882–1883, Guilford Circuit; 1884, Bath Circuit; 1885, Nashville Circuit. On many of these charges his labors were marked by the conversion of hundreds of souls to God. Through his instrumentality the Lord did a wonderful work on the Columbia Circuit. Largely through his influence a powerful temperance reformation swept all over that section. Besides, he added more than 250 persons to the church on that circuit. On Williamston, Clinton, Cokesbury, Carteret, Mt. Olive, Neuse, Guilford, Bath and Nashville, there was left the impress of his character and holy life; and all who came in contact with him felt the influence of his fervent prayers and spiritual ministry.

"And many who saw his boldness for Christ marvelled, and took knowledge of him that he had been with Jesus, and seeing the many, who were healed standing with him, no man could say anything against him."

James Mahoney was a man of prayer, and a man of faith. He had a firm trust in Divine Providence and believed his steps were ordered by the Lord. He was thoroughly consecrated to the itinerant ministry; and when it was suggested at the last Conference that on account of his age he had better take a superannuated relation, he protested, saying, "No, let me have another appointment; I want to die with all the harness on."

Bishop Keener appointed him to Pamlico Circuit. He felt that the work was heavy for one of his age, and seemed to be impressed that it would be his last. But he did not murmur nor complain. His great desire was to visit all of his children before he went to his work. After seeing those in North Carolina, he started to Florida, where he had two sons and one daughter. On his way he stopped in Goldsboro to spend the Sabbath with some dear friends. He attended church in the morning and prayed a fervent prayer at the close of the pastor's sermon. It was his last in the house of God. That night he was taken with a malignant type of erysipelas in his left hand. The following Thursday God took him. His work was done, and God gathered his aged servant home to Himself. The world may not write down this veteran of the Cross as one of its great ones, but God and the church give him praise for they knew his value and sterling worth. If he never received any flattering appointments among his brethren, nor held any offices of power, nor accumulated fame, nor fortune, yet he did the work well which God gave him to do, and he was beloved by all who knew him, and had the Father's seal upon him as a chosen vessel. His dying words were shouts of triumph and victory. The brave soldier has laid down his armor of earthly warfare and battles, and gone up to join the innumerable company of angels and the general assembly of the church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven. God bless his widow and children, and may they meet him there.

God grant us grace to finish our work with joy and to triumph as he triumphed.

Remarks in eulogy were made by L. S. BURKHEAD, N. A. HOOKER, R. O. BURTON and J. S. NELSON.

P. F. W. STAMEY read the memoir of WILLIAM H. WATKINS:

MEMOIR OF REV. W. H. WATKINS.

Rev. W. H. Watkins, the subject of this memoir, was born in Richmond county, N. C., June 25th, 1847, and died at his home in Albemarle,

Stanly county, N. C., at 9 A. M., April 27th, 1886, aged 38 years, 10 months and 2 days. He professed religion and joined the M. E. Church, South, under the ministry of Rev. Joseph Wheeler, Nov. 15th, 1868. He began to preach the gospel in the year 1873, and was junior preacher that year under Rev. M. V. Sherrill, then pastor of Wadesboro Circuit.

In December, 1873, at our Conference, which convened at Goldsboro, he was admitted on trial. His first circuit was Stanly, which he traveled in 1874; in 1875-6, Columbia Circuit; in 1877-8, Mt. Olive Circuit; in 1879-80, Williamston Circuit; in 1881-2, Halifax Circuit; in 1883 he was stationed at Plymouth, and while there his health gave way in August. He rested about two months and then resumed partial labors again until the close of the year.

In 1884 he was sent to Roanoke Circuit—his health gave way again on the first Sabbath in June. He remained in charge, however, until close of the year, but employed the Rev. W. W. Rose to do the preaching, but Bro. Watkins went with him to nearly all the appointments superintending the work—making short talks occasionally—praying and instructing penitents, and visiting among the people.

In the fall of 1884, during the session of Conference at Wilmington, he was superannuated, and soon thereafter he went to Albemarle where he remained until the day of his death.

In the year 1875, February 4th, while he was in charge of the Columbia Circuit, he was happily married to Miss G. P. Hearn, of Albemarle, with whom he lived as a dutiful and affectionate husband, and whom he loved so ardently, and who so cheerfully helped him on all his fields of labor.

As a Christian, Bro. Watkins was a model one. No one can lay aught to his charge. He made both saint and sinner feel, while in his presence, that he was a man of God. During his entire sickness his conversation was of a spiritual nature.

Bro. Watkins was a good and very successful preacher. His sermons were sound, logical and impressive. He was a fine pastor and an untiring worker in the vineyard of the Master. He was very successful on all his fields of labor in bringing souls to Christ; and in building and repairing churches and parsonages, he had but few equals. He was beloved by the people he served, and many were the messages of love and sympathy he received from them during his illness.

The gospel he preached to others sustained and comforted him all through his afflictions. He spoke as calmly of his approaching end as one going to sleep. He did not fear, but welcomed death. He often quoted Paul, "For me to live is Christ, but to die is gain." His death was peaceful and easy. On a bright and lovely spring morn, he died without a struggle. While the rays of the morning sun were falling in golden tints

upon the green foliage of the trees, and upon the green grass and beautiful flowers, and when the birds were praising the Creator of the Universe, in chirp and song, he breathed his last.

In his death the church has lost a faithful minister but our loss is his gain.

Remarks in eulogy were made by W. H. BOBBITT, T. W. GUTHRIE, J. M. RHODES, R. S. WEBB and R. O. BURTON.

The memoirs were adopted.

F. H. WOOD introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That we do hereby extend our tenderest and most unaffected sympathy and condolence to Drs. W. H. BOBBITT, L. S. BURKHEAD, W. M. ROBEY and Rev. ZEBEDEE RUSH, in the death of their most estimable and lovely wives during the year.

(Signed) FRANK H. WOOD,
R. O. BURTON,
T. PAGE RICAUD.

The memorial services were concluded.

Rev. JOHN E. EDWARDS, D. D., of the Virginia Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

On motion of Rev. L. L. NASH, it was ordered that, when the Conference adjourns, it do so to convene this evening at 7 o'clock.

The Bishop designated Rev. R. O. BURTON, D. D., to preside at this evening's session in the event of his absence.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

SIXTH DAY—EVENING SESSION.

TUESDAY, December 7th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 7 o'clock, Rev. R. O. BURTON, D. D., in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. JAMES E. MANN.

The Journal of this morning's session was read and approved.

J. T. KENDALL, from the Board of Church Extension, submitted the report of that Board, which was read and adopted.

(Document No. 10 of Appendix.)

R. P. TROY submitted report No. 2 of the committee on Temperance, which was read and adopted.

(Document No. 11 of Appendix.)

Bishop GRANBERY took the chair.

J. F. BRUTON submitted a report from the committee on Church Property, which was read and adopted.

(Document No. 12 of Appendix.)

Questions 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26 were called, and J. B. CARPENTER, Statistical Secretary, reported the statistics as follows:

Number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference, 83,317.

Infants baptized during the year, 2,682.

Adults baptized during the year, 4,709.

Number of Sunday-schools, 885

Number of Sunday-school teachers, 594.

Number of Sunday-school scholars, 51,023.

In view of the successes attending the labors of the ministers during the Conference year, as shown in the large accessions and the spiritual state of the church, the Conference, at the suggestion of the Bishop, gave praises to God in singing the L. M. Doxology.

W. H. MOORE submitted report No. 2 of the Board of Missions, which was adopted.

(Document No. 13 of Appendix.)

Question 16 was called, viz: Who are located this year?

Answer, None.

The Presiding Elders nominated the Conference Board of Colportage as follows, which was confirmed:

Clerical—F. L. Reid, J. R. Griffith, R. G. Barrett, Joseph Wheeler, James Willson, H. T. Hudson, M. H. Moore, W. B. Doub, D. H. Tuttle, J. B. Bobbitt, T. J. Gattis, R. O. Burton and S. V. Hoyle.

Laymen—J. W. Hays, W. F. Stroud, J. A. Odell, J. W. Mauney, J. B. Connelly, J. S. Martin, J. M. Dunlap, J. T. John, W. W. Hodges, J. B. Whitaker, Jr., E. C. Glenn, Wm. A. Johnston and F. S. Lambeth.

N. M. JURNEY submitted the report of the committee on the publication of the Conference Journal, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 14 of Appendix.)

R. O. BURTON moved that the Board of Trustees of Trinity College, to whom were referred the resolutions introduced by him in relation to the endowment of that Institution, be requested to promptly adopt the plan therein proposed, or some other plan looking to an endowment. The motion prevailed.

E. A. YATES introduced the following resolutions, which were read and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the hearty thanks of this Conference are due, and are hereby tendered to the people of Reidsville for the generous and christian hospitality extended to the members of the Conference.

Also, to the pastors and officers of the Presbyterian, Baptist and Episcopal churches for the tender of their houses of worship for preaching during the session.

Also, to gentlemen, and different organizations, who tendered the use of offices and halls for the use of committees.

Also, to the railroad and steamboat managers who extended the courtesy of reduced fare to members and visitors of this Conference.

Also, to Mr. C. F. LEWIS for his kind attention to the mail matter of the Conference.

E. A. YATES,
L. W. CRAWFORD,
N. M. JURNEY.

L. S. BURKHEAD introduced a resolution of thanks to the Secretary and Assistant Secretaries for the satisfactory manner in which they had discharged the duties of their several positions, which was read and adopted.

Question 29th was called, viz.: What has been contributed for Missions?

Answer—Foreign Missions	$10,769 70
Domestic Missions	4,547 00
Total	$15,316 70

Question 30th was called, viz.: What are the educational statistics?

Answer—Trinity College—Incorporated by Act of General Assembly of North Carolina, ratified January 28th, 1851, amended by Chapter 35, 1858-59. Value of buildings and grounds $30,000. Number of Faculty, 6; number of students enrolled present year, 170.

The journal of this evening's session was read and approved.

The Bishop announced hymn "Together let us sweetly live, together let us die," which having been sung, Rev. E. A. YATES, D. D., led in prayer.

The Bishop addressed the Conference, and after calling Question 32, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" read the appointments.

The Conference adjourned *sine die* with the benediction by the Bishop.

APPOINTMENTS.

The figures opposite the names indicate the number of years on the charge.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

3—N. H. D. Wilson.....Presiding Elder.

Raleigh—Edenton Street—W. C. Norman—4.
Raleigh—Person Street—R. B. John—1.
Brooklyn and Macedonia Mission—To be supplied by J. F. Butt—4.
Cary Circuit—J. B. Martin—2.
Rolesville Circuit—Philip Greening—2.
Smithfield Circuit—Solomon Pool—2.
Clayton Circuit—B. C. Allred—1.
Tar River Circuit—J. J. Renn—2.
Youngsville Circuit—D. A. Watkins—1.
Louisburg Station—Alpheus McCullen—2.
Oxford Station—W. L. Cunniggim—1.
Oxford Circuit—N. E. Coltrane—2.
Henderson Station—J. D. Arnold—2.
Buckhorn Circuit—J. E. Thompson—3. I. W. Avent, Sup.
Earpsboro Mission—J. D. Pegram—1.
Newton Grove Mission—Erskine Pope—2. One to be supplied.
Raleigh Christian Advocate—F. L. Reid, editor.
Henderson Female College—J. M. Rhodes.
Agent for Colportage and Sunday Schools—P. L. Groome—1.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

3—W. S. Black.....Presiding Elder.

Durham—Trinity—W. S. Creasy—2.
Durham—Main Street—Amos Gregson 2.
Durham—Carr's Chapel—J. H. Hall—1.
Durham Circuit—W. S. Davis—2.
Hillsboro Circuit—J. G. Nelson—1.
Chapel Hill—J. R. Griffith—1.
Person Circuit—M. H. Hoyle—1. M. T. Best—1.
Leasburg Circuit—L. L. Nash—4. E. H. Davis—1.
Alamance Circuit—L. L. Johnson—3.
Haw River Circuit—B. R. Hall—2.
Pittsboro Circuit—R. T. N. Stephenson—2.
Granville Circuit—J. E. Uunderwood—2.
University of North Carolina—A. W. Mangum—Professor.
Missionary to China—Charles Jones Soon—2.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

3—J. A. CUNINGGIM.....Presiding Elder.

GREENSBORO STATION—J. E. Mann—2. G. F. Smith—1.
GUILFORD CIRCUIT—T. H. Pegram—4.
SUMMERFIELD CIRCUIT—J. A. Bowles—4.
PLEASANT GARDEN CIRCUIT—M. M. McFarland—1.
WINSTON STATION—L. S. Burkhead—1.
FORSYTH CIRCUIT—M. J. Hunt—2.
STOKES CIRCUIT—C. G. Little—1. S. H. Helsabeck—2.
DANBURY CIRCUIT—J. F. Craven—1.
MADISON CIRCUIT—R. P. Troy—4.
RUFFIN CIRCUIT—G. F. Round—1.
REIDSVILLE STATION—P. F. W. Stamey—1. D. R. Bruton—Sup.
YANCEYVILLE CIRCUIT—J. D. Buie—2. C. W. Robinson—1.
KERNERSVILLE CIRCUIT—R. G. Barrett—1.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

3—W. H. BOBBITT.....Presiding Elder.

SALISBURY STATION—C. W. Byrd—1.
SALISBURY CIRCUIT—T. A. Stone—3.
MOCKSVILLE CIRCUIT—W. C. Willson—1.
ROWAN CIRCUIT—G. W. Fisher—1.
FARMINGTON CIRCUIT—H. M. Blair—1.
CONCORD STATION—Joseph Wheeler—2. T. W. Smith—Sup.
CONCORD CIRCUIT—W. L. Grissom—2.
MOUNT PLEASANT CIRCUIT—G. A. Oglesby—3.
ALBEMARLE CIRCUIT—J. C. Rowe—1.
STANLY CIRCUIT—Zebedee Rush—2.
BIG LICK MISSION—J. A. Green—2.
MOUNT ZION STATION—J. W. North—4.
ENOCHSVILLE CIRCUIT—C. W. Smith—2.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

3—R. A. WILLIS.....Presiding Elder.

STATESVILLE STATION—W. S. Rone—1. James Willson—Sup.
STATESVILLE CIRCUIT—W. M. Bagby—4.
MOORESVILLE CIRCUIT—L. E. Thompson—1.
IREDELL CIRCUIT—G. W. Ivey—2.
ROCK SPRING CIRCUIT—T. A. Boone—1.
NEWTON CIRCUIT—C. M. Gentry—2.
CATAWBA CIRCUIT—M. V. Sherrill—1.
ALEXANDER CIRCUIT—C. A. Gault—1.

Caldwell Circuit—R. M. Taylor—2.
Lenoir Circuit—T. J. Daily—1.
Wilkes Circuit—T. C. Lovin—1. E. J. Eudaily—Sup.
Reddie's River Mission—To be supplied.
Elkin and Jonesville—D. A. Futrell—1.
Mount Airy Station—J. B. Hurley— 1.
Mount Airy Circuit—To be supplied by S. P. Douglas—1.
Dobson Circuit—B. A. York—2.
Yadkinville Circuit—C. P. Snow—1.
Oak Institute—T. N. Ivey—Principal—1.

SHELBY DISTRICT.

3—M. L. Wood.....Presiding Elder.

Shelby Station—J. R. Scroggs—1.
Shelby Circuit—S. M. Davis—1.
King's Mountain Circuit—W. H. Townsend—1.
Dallas Circuit—J. M. Lumly—2. J. W. Puett—1.
Gaston Circuit—J. C. Hartsell—4.
Mountain Island Station—J. R. Betts—2.
Lincolnton Circuit—J. B. Bailey—3.
South Fork Circuit—D. L. Earnhardt—1.
Hickory Station—J. E. Bristowe—2.
Connelly Spring Circuit—J. B. Carpenter—2.
Morganton and Marion—G. W. Callahan—2.
Morganton Circuit—T. L. Triplett—1.
Table Rock Circuit—M. D. Giles—1.
McDowell Circuit—M. T. Steele—1.
Double Shoals Circuit—J. F. England—2.
Forest City Circuit—A. M. Lowe—1.
Rutherfordton Circuit—J. W. Jenkins—1.
Antioch Mission—J. M. Pool—1.
Columbus Mission—T. H. Edwards—3.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

1—P. J. Carraway.....Presiding Elder.

Charlotte—Tryon Street—F. D. Swindell—1.
Charlotte—Church Street—Zadok Paris—1.
Charlotte Circuit—W. F. Coffin—3.
Matthews Circuit—J. A. Lee—1.
Clear Creek Circuit—F. B. McCall—2.
Pineville Circuit—A. P. Tyer—1.
Pleasant Grove Circuit—A. E. Wiley—1.
Monroe Station—W. C. Gannon—1.

Monroe Circuit—T. S. Ellington—2.
Wadesboro Station—J. Edwin Thompson—1.
Wadesboro Circuit—R. S. Webb—3.
Ansonville Circuit—M. H. Moore—2.
Lilesville Circuit—G. W. Hardison—3.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

3—S. D. Adams.....Presiding Elder.

Fayetteville Station—J. T. Gibbs—2.
Campbellton Mission—R. W. Townsend—1.
Cumberland Circuit—W. S. Hales—2.
Lumberton Circuit—J. T. Finlayson—3.
Robeson Circuit—Jonathan Sanford—2.
Shoe Heel Mission—J. A. Hornaday—3.
Laurinburg Circuit—J. T. Lyon—2.
Saint John's Station—L. E. Stacy—2.
Rockingham Station—J. H. Page—3.
Rockingham Circuit—F. L. Townsend—2.
Manly Mission—M. A. Smith—4.
Carthage Circuit—W. B. Doub—4.
Jonesboro Circuit—W. O. Hightower—2.
Cape Fear Circuit—W. S. Chaffin—3.
Lillington Circuit—J. J. Grigg—1.
W. O. Hightower, Principal Jonesboro High School.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

1—T. W. Guthrie.....Presiding Elder.

Wilmington—Front Street—E. A. Yates—4.
Wilmington—Fifth Street—D. H. Tuttle—3.
Brooklyn Mission—C. W. Godwin—1.
Topsail Circuit—J. L. Keen—1.
Duplin Circuit—A. G. Gantt—3.
Magnolia Circuit—W. A. Forbes—2.
Clinton Circuit—J. T. Kendall—$\frac{3}{4}$, Z. J. Needham—1.
Cokesbury Circuit—I. A. White—1.
Bladen Circuit—C. P. Jerome—2.
Elizabeth Circuit—Daniel May—2.
Whiteville Circuit—J. C. Crisp—1, J. M. Downum—2.
Carver Creek Circuit—R. L. Warlick—1.
Waccamaw Mission—T. J. Browning—1.
Smithville Station—J. M. Ashby—1.
Brunswick Circuit—H. M. Eure—1.
Onslow Circuit—N. A. Hooker—1.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

2—J. T. Harris.....Presiding Elder.

New Berne Station—L. W. Crawford—2.
Goldsboro—St. Paul—J. R. Brooks—1.
Goldsboro—Boundary Street—J. B. Bobbitt—1.
Goldsboro Circuit—W. M. Robey—1.
Wayne Circuit—R. C. Beaman—3.
Mount Olive Circuit—J. T. Abernethy—1.
Kinston Station—N. M. Jurney—2.
Snow Hill Circuit—P. L. Herman—3.
LaGrange Circuit—W. W. Rose—2.
Lenoir Mission—J. G. Johnston—1.
Craven Circuit—W. J. Crowson—3.
Jones Circuit—J. F. Washburn—1.
Morehead Station—E. L. Stamey—1.
Beaufort Station—J. W. Jones—2.
Carteret Circuit—W. H. Puckett 2, including 1 year as supply.
Neuse Mission—To be supplied by J. T. Brogden—1.
Pamlico Circuit—To be supplied by S. F. Becton—3.
Straits Circuit—E. D. Hoover 2, including 1 year as supply.
Core Sound Mission—To be supplied by Daniel Reid.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

3—J. S. Nelson.....Presiding Elder.

Warrenton Circuit—R. O. Burton—3.
Warren Circuit—W. B. North—1.
Ridgeway Circuit—J. N. Cole—3.
Roanoke Circuit—L. J. Holden—1.
Weldon and Halifax Station—T. P. Ricaud—1.
Halifax Circuit—T. B. Reeks—2.
Scotland Neck Mission—T. P. Bonner—1.
Wilson Station—J. H. Cordon—1.
Wilson Mission—B. B. Holder—3.
Nashville Mission—A. D. Betts—1.
Edgecombe Circuit—A. R. Raven—2.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

3—W. H. Moore.....Presiding Elder.

Washington Station—W. R. Ware—1. W. H. Call—Sup.
Tarboro and Bethel—T. J. Gattis—2.
South Edgecombe Circuit—B. B. Culbreth—2.
Williamston Circuit—W. T. Cutchin—1.

Greenville Station—F. A. Bishop—2.
Pitt Mission—R. B. Gilliam—2.
Swift Creek Mission—To be supplied by J. Y. Pegram—1.
Aurora Circuit—L. O. Wyche—1.
Bath Circuit—N. H. Guyton 3, including 1 year as supply.
Plymouth Station—F. M. Shamberger—1.
Columbia Circuit—To be supplied by W. Lowe—1.
Mattamuskeet Circuit—J. O. Guthrie—1.
Fairfield Station—E. L. Pell—2.
Swan Quarter Circuit—Z. T. Harrison—1.
Hatteras Circuit—C. C. Brothers—1.
Portsmouth and Ocracoke—D. P. Tate—1.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

3—V. A. Sharpe.....Presiding Elder.

Randolph Circuit—F. H. Wood 2, I. F. Keerans, sup.
Thomasville and High Point—S. V. Hoyle—3.
Zion and Prospect—D. C. Geddie—1.
Davidson Circuit—R. M. Hoyle—1.
Lexington Station—J. E. Gay—2.
Randleman Station—R. F. Bumpass—4.
Franklinsville Circuit—J. C. Thomas—1.
Deep River Circuit—J. D. Carpenter—1, T. C. Moses, sup.
Deep River Mission—C. W. King—1.
Siler Circuit—Oliver Ryder—1.
Uwharrie Circuit—G. B. Perry—2.
Jackson Hill Circuit—H. B. Anderson—1.
Montgomery Circuit—J. E. Woosley—2.
Pekin Circuit—C. O. Durant—1.
Mount Gilead Circuit—M. W. Boyles—3.
Trinity College—J. F. Heitman, Prof.
S. R. Belk transferred to Denver Conference and appointed to South Pueblo.

JOHN C. GRANBERY, *President.*
DONALD W. BAIN, *Secretary.*

APPENDIX.

[Document No. 1.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Your committee to whom was referred the subject of the Bible cause, as it looks for support, and stands connected with the work of the church in our midst, beg leave to report that from what information they have obtained, there is yet among many families in most parts of the State, very great destitution of the Word of God. As the Bible is the "sword of the spirit," and as no one can afford to be without this great blessing, to be a lamp to his feet and a light to his path, therefore, in the language of the committee of 1885,

Resolved, 1*st*. That we recognize the American Bible Society as an agency in the dissemination of truth and the accomplishment of good second only to the living ministry, and that in all possible ways we will co-operate with its work in our respective fields of labor.

Resolved, 2*d*. That, in our pastoral work and intercourse with the people, we will specially inquire, and see to it, that all families coming within our knowledge are supplied with the Bible.

Resolved, 3*d*. That we will encourage our people everywhere, by public collections and otherwise, to contribute to the great cause of sending the Bible to the destitute places throughout the world.

Respectfully, L. E. THOMPSON, Chairman.

[Document No. 2.

REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

In the accomplishment of any purpose there are three things essential: 1st, An intelligent view of the purpose; 2d, Means and resources equal to the design; 3d, Motives sufficient to move to the use of the means. When these three are combined, there cannot be failure. The absence of either may prove an effectual hinderance.

We are persuaded that the absence of the first is the cause of the slow progress of Christ's kingdom in the world. The church of God has not advanced to a proper conception of the world's sore need of the gospel, and her inalienable duty to supply that need. The "Great Commission" has not yet been burned into the heart of the church as it should have been.

Why, after all these centuries, during which history has recorded events in

which we can almost see the very face of the Son of God, and through which the ringing tones of the risen Redeemer have been ceaselessly falling upon the ears of his followers, "Preach my gospel to every creature;" is it that the world is largely an unconquered territory; that there are vast regions untouched by the gospel ploughshare; that the most populous of the nations have not seen the light that shone from Zion's hill?

The gospel contains all that is necessary for the world's regeneration. Behind it, in it, through it, is the power of God, the power unto salvation.

The experience of nineteen centuries has proven that it is equal to the moral and spiritual needs of men of every age and class and clime. All it needs is proper application. If in the ages of the past the missionary spirit of a Paul, a Carey, a Judson, had been in the heart of every professed follower of Christ, the world would have been to-day like Mary, sitting at the feet of Jesus, learning of Him, loving Him, calling Him Lord. The failure to win the world for Christ lies at the door of His people. They have not sufficiently known or done their duty.

We say it with deliberation, the church of God is not half awake to its duty in missionary work, is not doing the half of what she ought. There may be one here and there who comes up to the measure of his obligation, but the masses are indifferent to this great interest. We believe that the cause of this lies not in an unwillingness to do duty, but from a lack of information on this important subject. The church will never arise to the full measure of her privilege and responsibility until there is diffused general information among all classes on this subject.

When the Christian people lay the moral statistics of the heathen world on their hearts; when they read not merely an item now and then, but peruse eagerly the accounts given by the missionaries, when they study the history and religion of the idolatrous nations; when they talk of these by their firesides and pray for them at their family altars and in their closets; when they picture to their own hearts their condition without a Saviour, and hence "without hope in the world," then, and not till then, will the church of Christ arise in the majesty and strength of her opportunities and win the heathen for Christ's "inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for His possession." In view of these facts, we recommend the following resolutions:

Resolved 1st, That a missionary mass meeting be held on each circuit during the year, if deemed practicable, the pastor and Presiding Elder to determine the time and place and secure speakers.

Resolved 2d, That we pledge ourselves, if selected to speak, to comply if we can do so without great inconvenience.

Resolved 3d, That every preacher be expected to preach at least once at each appointment in his charge on the subject of missions, and emphasizing the duty of every one to contribute something.

Resolved 4th, That we will endeavor to circulate the *Advocate of Missions* and such other missionary literature as we may deem helpful to the cause.

Resolved 5th, That we recognize the importance of the Woman's Missionary Society and that of the Bright Jewels, and we will stand ready to lend them our aid and encouragement.

Resolved 6th, That we will use our influence to secure the contribution of ten cents per capita by our Sunday-school children, to be devoted to the payment of our missionary debt.

Resolved 7th, That we will, as far as possible, take the missionary collections within the first and second quarters of the year.

F. D. SWINDELL, President.

[Document No. 3.]

REPORT ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your committee on District Conference Records have examined those records placed in their hands and desire to report the following criticisms:

The Fayetteville District Conference Record is well kept, and is to be commended for the conciseness with which the sense of the verbal reports of pastors is recorded. The roll of members, however, is imperfect, those only being recorded who were present. There are also a number of abbreviations in the body of the minutes that may scarcely be considered in good taste.

The Washington District Conference Record is beautifully and accurately kept. The only deficiency, we note, is that punctuation has been almost entirely neglected.

The Salisbury District Conference Record has not a complete roll. Motions are recorded without the names of the persons who made them being mentioned. There is a vast amount of matter that is foreign to the actual business of the Conference recorded; for instance, the announcements with regard to the homes of delegates are recorded and the exhortations of the presiding officer on various subjects.

The Warrenton District Conference Record has no complete roll. The Conference did not close with the benediction the first day, as recorded.

The Wilmington District Conference Record is well kept. There is no complete roll of members. It is stated that this is the journal of the Methodist Episcopal Church of North Carolina. We know of no such church.

The Shelby District Conference Record has no complete roll. Only the names of those present were recorded. The reports from the pastoral charges are recorded without mention of the names of those who made them.

The New Berne District Conference Record is well kept.

Records of Statesville District Conference are well kept and do credit to the secretary.

We would pronounce one criticism, however, a pencil instead of ink was used in designating the absent and present members.

The Raleigh District Conference Record is admirably kept.

The Greensboro District Conference Record is admirably kept. That the name of the presiding officer is not signed at the end of the proceedings is our only criticism.

The Trinity College District Conference Record is well kept.

The Charlotte District Conference Record is well kept.

C. W. BYRD, Chairman.

[Document No. 4.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

The committee to whom was referred the subject of Temperance feel that it would be a waste of words to assert that the liquor traffic is an evil, and to enumerate the evil consequences that follow in its train. An enlightened christian sentiment has long ago put its seal of condemnation upon intemperance, and an enlightened public sentiment makes the assertion which cannot be gainsaid, that if drunkenness be a sin, the traffic in that which makes drunkenness is a sin also.

Your committee rejoice that, recognizing the evil consequences of the liquor traffic, the churches generally are ranging themselves against it, and, as a consequence of their action, the people are being led to agitate the question of prohibition.

Especially do we rejoice that our own church, by the action of the last General Conference, has put itself in the front ranks upon the question of temperance in that it makes the manufacture and sale of alcohol an immorality, for which a member may be tried and expelled as for any other immoral act.

We rejoice furthermore, that as a result of the good work which has been done in our State by ministers, churches, and temperance societies, many communities have been led to throw off the shackles of the liquor traffic by means of the ballot, and that, to-day, a number of communities in our State—our Capital among the number—are free from the evils of a legalized dram-shop,

In short, your committee rejoice in the belief that the temperance sentiment is rapidly growing within the bounds of this Conference, and to the end that it may have an increase of growth and strength, we recommend:

1. That our preachers preach at least one time to each congregation during the year upon the subject of temperance, showing the evils arising from the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicating liquors.

2. That the Superintendents of our Sunday Schools be requested to deliver, or cause to be delivered, at least once during the year a temperance lecture to the children.

3. That, as we believe, prohibition by law to be the only way to successfully put down the traffic in alcohol, we will do all in our power to arouse the people to a proper recognition of their individual responsibility upon this subject.

Your committee have considered certain communications referred to them, and without making any recommendations refer them back to the Conference for their consideration.

R. H. WHITAKER, Chairman.

R. P. TROY, Secretary.

[Document No. 5.]

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Board beg leave to report that the Sunday-school District Conferences that are held separately from the regular District Conference, have been successful. Others have found them to be a failure and have rejoined them. Many Circuit Sunday-school Conferences have been organized and successfully operated.

The General Conference ordered that the 3rd Sunday in May be set apart as Children's Day, to be observed throughout the church, with appropriate services, and on that day a collection be taken up for the aid of needy Sunday-schools, ten per cent. of the money collected to be forwarded to the General Conference Sunday-school Committee, Nashville, Tennessee, and be distributed by said committee in the same manner and under the same regulations as the interest accruing from the Centennial Sunday-school Aid Fund, and your committee so recommend. The Sunday-school publications are cordially commended to all our people.

Respectfully submitted, E. A. YATES, Chairman.

[Document No. 6.]

REPORT ON COLPORTAGE.

Your committee to whom was referred the subject of Colportage have carefully considered the same and beg leave to report:

A system of colportage by which the masses may be reached with the literature of our church is, in our judgment, one of the most important matters that can engage the attention of this body. The necessity for some thorough system of canvassing the entire membership of our church and placing our books in their hands is apparent to all. The prevailing ignorance among so many of our people of the doctrines and history of our church, the baneful influence of so much of the reading matter in circulation, imperatively demand of us such an agency as an absolute and pressing necessity.

After thorough enquiry, patient investigation and careful consideration, your committee beg to recommend the following

PLAN OF COLPORTAGE.

1. There shall be a board of colportage, known as the N. C. Conference Colportage Board, consisting of one preacher and one layman from each Presiding Elder's District, holding office four years, elected by the Annual Conference on the nomination of the Presiding Elders.

2. There shall be a General Agent, appointed by the Bishop on the recommendation of the Annual Conference, whose duty it shall be to travel throughout our bounds and employ a suitable colporteur in each Presiding Elder's District and furnish him with our books at a discount of not less than 33⅓ per cent. His salary shall be the commission on the books that he sells individually, and to district colporteurs and preachers. The General Agent shall also receive donations for cheap religious literature to be distributed gratuitously among the poor.

3. The District Colporteur shall be allowed to sell no other books than such as are recommended by the General Agent.

4. The General Agent shall make an itemized report to the Annual Conference of all moneys received by him, and the disposition made thereof, as also of the number of families visted by him and by each District Colporteur, the number of sermons preached and public exhortations made.

5. Nothing in this system of colportage shall be construed as interfering or conflicting with the sale of books by our preachers, or as relieving them of the disciplinary obligation in this matter.

6. We recommend that all our preachers, as far as practicable, purchase whatever books they may need through the General Agent.

7. We hereby respectfully recommend that the Rev. P. L. Groome be appointed General Agent.

J. B. BOBBITT, Chairman.

M. H. MOORE, Secretary.

[Document No. 7.]

REPORT OF JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

BISHOP'S SALARY.

Whole amount assessed ..... $1,750.

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Charlotte	$ 132 00	$ 126 00
Durham	131 00	123 50
Fayetteville	131 00	151 80
Greensboro	137 00	135 50
New Berne	167 00	159 54
Raleigh	171 00	171 00
Salisbury	124 00	122 95
Shelby	146 00	131 50
Statesville	115 00	102 00
Trinity College	112 00	111 00
Warrenton	118 00	98 50
Washington	127 00	119 00
Wilmington	139 00	120 42
	$ 1,750 00	
Total amount raised		$ 1,672 71

Paid Bishop Granbery $1,672 71

ASSESSMENTS FOR BISHOP.

The Joint Board of Finance recommend that the Conference raise for Bishop's salary for next year seventeen hundred and fifty dollars, and that it be apportioned as follows.

Charlotte	District	$ 146 00
Durham	"	127 00
Fayetteville	"	136 00
Greensboro	"	135 00
New Berne	"	162 00
Raleigh	"	164 00
Salisbury	"	111 00
Shelby	"	136 00
Statesville	"	138 00
Trinity College	"	111 00
Warrenton	"	125 00
Washington	"	121 00
Wilmington	"	138 00
		$1,750 00

CONFERENCE FUND.

Whole amount assessed $7,500 00

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Charlotte	$ 568 00	$ 432 10
Durham	571 00	471 50
Fayetteville	558 00	400 25
Greensboro	587 00	456 40
New Berne	717 00	509 01
Raleigh	724 00	592 28
Salisbury	529 00	421 71
Shelby	628 00	400 25
Statesville	491 00	283 85
Trinity College	482 00	350 55
Warrenton	504 00	303 80
Washington	543 00	309 16
Wilmington	598 00	319 36
	$7,500 00	
Amount received from Districts		$5,250 22
From N. C. Conference Trust Fund		409 15
From private contribution		2 53
		$ 5,661 90
Amount of Calvin Fund		39 00
		$ 5,700 90

DISTRIBUTION OF CONFERENCE AND CALVIN FUND.

	Conference Fund.	*Calvin Fund.*
Mrs. Paulina Anderson	$ 49 12	54
Rev. C. M. Anderson and wife	176 50	
Mrs. John N. Andrews	65 50	54
Rev. W. W. Albea and wife	101 00	
Mrs. F. M. Bumpass	65 50	54
Rev. R. P. Bibb's two children	65 50	1 08
Mrs. E. J Brown and two children	131 00	1 62
Rev. A. A. Boshamer's child		54
Mrs. F. Clegg and three children	40 94	2 16
Mrs. Julia L. Brent and two children		1 62
Rev. Thos. S. Campbell and wife	100 00	
Mrs. Mary C. Coon and one child	181 90	1 08
Mrs. Irene Craven	65 50	54
Mrs. M. C. Closs	131 00	54
Mrs. Lucy A. Cole and two children	98 25	1 62
Rev. Daniel Culbreth	65 50	
Mrs. C. M. Dozier	49 12	54
Mrs. M. J. Dodson and one child	98 25	1 04
Mrs. A. Ervin and two children	98 25	1 62
Mrs. F. C. Freeman	95 50	54
Mrs. M. C. Floyd and one child	98 25	1 08
Rev. Miles Foy and wife	165 50	
Rev. Gaston Farrar and wife	32 75	
Mrs. S. E. Gattis	49 12	54
Mrs. V. F. Gray and one child	122 80	1 08
Mrs. Martha Garrard	32 75	54
Mrs. Lucy Gibbons and six children	150 21	3 78
Rev. H. H. Gibbons	65 50	
Mrs. N. Gwyn and six children	246 82	3 78
Rev. W. S. Haltom and wife	65 50	
Mrs. Eugenia Hill		54
Rev. E. Howland, wife and two children	176 50	
Mrs W. I. Hull and three children	204 68	2 16
Rev. H. T. Hudson and wife	140 00	
Mrs. A. E. Jordan	65 50	54
Mrs. M. J. Langdon	81 87	54
Mrs. Mary Johnson and two children	163 75	1 62
Rev. J. W. Jenkins, wife and five children	200 00	
Mrs. S. D Lee and three children	122 80	2 16
Mrs. Jno. W. Lewis	24 46	54
Amount carried forward	$3,887 09	$35 06

Amount brought forward	$3,857 09	$35 06
Mrs. Land's two children	65 50	1 08
Mrs. James Mahoney	16 37	54
Mrs. L. J. McIntosh	65 50	54
Rev. W. D. Meacham's three children	64 38	1 62
Mrs. M. M. Phillips and one child	98 25	1 08
Mrs. Charles H. Phillips	65 50	54
Mrs. Lavenia McPherson	65 50	54
Rev. C. M. Pepper, wife and four children	242 00	
Mrs. S. E. Moore	65 50	54
Mrs. E. J. W. Purvis	65 50	54
Mrs. M. F. Robbins	32 75	54
Rev. N. F. Reid's son		54
Mrs. Mary A. Rich		54
Rev. J. W. Randle, wife and two children	272 75	
Mrs. P. E. Speck	65 50	54
Mrs. A. B. St. Clair	32 75	54
Mrs. E. F. Stacey		54
Mrs. Lucy C. Shell	32 75	54
Mrs. A. H. Tucker	65 50	54
Mrs. F. I. Tinnen	65 50	54
Mrs. J. E. Thompson		54
Rev. M. C. Thomas, wife and three children	200 00	
Mrs. M. F. Wyche	81 87	54
Mrs. W. H. Watkins	65 50	54
Rev. Joseph Wheeler	65 50	
	$	$
Distributed to claimants	$5,661 46	
Paid for stationery	44	
Amount of Calvin fund	39 00	
		$5,700 90

NOTE—On page 48 in preceding form the amount paid to Mrs. F. C. Freeman should be $65.50 instead of $95.50, as printed. Amount brought forward to page 49 is $3,857.09. Report printed as handed to Secretary.

ASSESSMENTS FOR CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

The Joint Board recommends that the Conference raise the next year for Conference claimants seven thousand five hundred dollars, and that it be distributed, as follows:

Charlotte	District	$ 628 00
Durham	"	580 00
Fayetteville	"	532 00
Greensboro	"	580 00
New Berne	"	697 00
Raleigh	"	705 00
Salisbury	"	518 00
Shelby	"	580 00
Statesville	"	525 00
Trinity College	"	475 00
Warrenton	"	550 00
Washington	"	545 00
Wilmington	"	585 00
Total		$7,500 00

W. S. CREASY, Secretary. W. J. PARKER, Chairman.

[Document No. 8.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We regard it as a most hopeful feature of our work that there is a growing interest throughout the Conference on the subject of christian education. Our colleges and schools generally are being well patronized, and where they are fully equipped are succeeding as never before. We would urge our members and laymen every where to do what they can to build up good schools of all grades.

We request the Bishop to appoint the Rev. T. N. Ivy Principal of Oak Institute.

Jonesboro High School is the property of the Fayetteville District, is located in Moore county, in the town of Jonesboro. It is a school of high grade and has been well managed and consequently well patronized. It gives great satisfaction to its patrons. We request the Bishop to appoint Rev. W. O. Hightower Principal of Jonesboro High School. We also request the Bishop to appoint Rev. A. W. Mangum, D. D., Professor in the University of North Carolina, and Rev. James M. Rhodes President of Henderson Female College.

GREENSBORO FEMALE COLLEGE.

This excellent Institution prospers as never before, and over whose prosperity N. C. Methodism greatly rejoices.

We heartily recommend the following:

Resolved, 1*st*. That in Greensboro Female College the Methodist Church in North Carolina has an institution of learning for the education of young ladies second to none in this country, an institution of which we may justly be proud.

2*nd*. That Rev. W. C. Norman, Rev. F. H. Wood, and R. R. Crawford be appointed a visiting committee from this Conference to Greensboro Female College.

DAVENPORT FEMALE COLLEGE.

This property, owned by our Conference, has been leased by a gentleman for a term of years for school purposes not under our control.

CENTRAL INSTITUTE.

Central Institute for young ladies, is located in Warren county, N. C., the Principal, Rev. J. M. Rhodes, has resigned, but the Trustees have determined to continue the school, we hope with increased facilities for work in the educational field.

TRINITY COLLEGE.

From the report of the Committee of Management of Trinity College and the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees and other sources, we obtain the following information:

The buildings are in a good state of repair and are insured in the sum of $20,000. Furniture and apparatus are good and ample for present uses. Six Professors compose the Faculty. One hundred and seventy students have been enrolled the present year, which is a gain of twenty-two over last year, and the largest number for several years past. Twelve of those who have attended during the year expect to be preachers of the gospel.

The aggregate of salaries of professors and tutors agreed to be paid is		$ 5,660.00
Balance due on salaries of last year		741.00
Total to be paid this year		$ 6,401.00
Received of the Committee	$ 2,000.00	
Received of Tuition	2,086.62	
Received of Conference collection	1,730.37	
Total paid		5,816.99
Balance due on salaries		$ 584.01
There is still due for Tuition this year		657.37
If this balance be collected there will be a balance over of		73.36

The amount of free tuition given to ministers' sons and one son of a professor, is $589.00.

Twenty-four students have received part or all of their tuition "on time," and the amount of such tuition this year is $573.00.

The tuition of twenty students is to be paid out of the Conference collection, and the whole amount of their tuition is $408.25.

Nothing has been expended this year for furniture, apparatus and repairs.

During the year, up to date, the sum of $1,176.35 has been received from fees and books and stationery, and $997.45 has been expended for books and incidental expenses, leaving a balance on hand of $178.90 to cover the deficiencies in this fund last year.

The amount raised this year by the Conference was paid by Districts as follows:

Districts.	Assessed.	Paid.
Raleigh,	$ 241.13	$156.00
Durham,	190.00	190.00
Greensboro,	195.67	185.00
Salisbury,	176.33	99.17
Statesville,	163.66	51.65
Shelby,	163.66	90.33
Charlotte,	189.34	77.15
Fayetteville,	186.00	168.00
Wilmington,	199 33	99.12
Newbern,	239.00	204.45
Warrenton,	168.00	101.37
Washington,	181.00	141.13
Trinity College,	161.00	161.00
Total,	$2,454.12	$1,724 37

REPORT OF TREASURER OF TRUSTEES OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

"Gentlemen—I found on taking charge of the Treasurership of the College, December 20th, 1884, the debt to amount to $7,317.29,

DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

Total amount of debt of Trinity College, Dec. 20, 1884,		$7,317 29
Due to the Wachovia National Bank, Winston	$2,800 00	
Interest on above, Sept. 20th to Dec. 20th, 1884,	56 00	
Amount due Dr. R. W. Thomas, Thomasville, N. C	1,027 43	
Amount due Robert Gray, Thomasville. N. C	587 21	
Interest on above, August 21, 1883, to December 20, 1884, six per cent	46 97	
Amount due W. S. Bradshaw, Trinity College	800 00	
Interest on above 12 months, eight per cent	64 00	
Amount due Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix of Dr. B. Craven	1,080 00	
Amount carried forward		$6,461 61

Amount brought forward	$ 6,461 61	
Amount due to Trinity Building and Loan Association	735 52	
Balance due Wachovia National Bank, Winston, on a note given by Dr. L. S. Burkhead, Treasurer, Dec. 23, 1883, for $265	105 16	
Amount due G. S. Bradshaw, Asheboro	15 00	
		$7,317 29

RECEIPTS.

During my term as Treasurer I have received the following amounts:

1884.			
Dec. 3.	Cash received from former Treasurer, Rev. Dr. L. S. Burkhead	$ 65 00	
	Cash received from Rev. R. S. Webb, Treasurer N. C. Conference Centenary Fund	342 38	
	Cash received from Rev. Dr. M. L. Wood	20 00	
	Cash received from Rev. Dr. R. O. Burton	38 91	
1885.			
Mar. 13.	Cash received from Rev. V. A. Sharpe as part payment of a note turned over to me by the former Treasurer	25 00	
19.	Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, Executor of the estate of Dr. C. G Siddell, of Caswell county	2,000 00	
25.	Cash received from Jas. N. Watson to pay his note of equal amount	50 00	
June 11.	Cash received from Rev. W. C. Willson, part payment of a note turned over to me by the former Treasurer	25 00	
Aug. 10.	Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, Executor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county	700 00	
Nov. 5.	Cash received from Rev. J. T. Harris, in full payment of balance due on his note turned over to me by former Treasurer	50 00	
14.	Cash received from J. M. McMichael, as interest due on his note which I hold as Treasurer	2 00	
17.	Cash received from Rev. J. T. Gibbs, in full payment of balance due upon his note turned over to me by the former Treasurer	10 00	
	Making total amount of receipts in cash for Conference year ending November 25, 1885		$3,323 29

1885.			
Dec.	3.	Cash received from Jas. P. Hunt, interest on his endowment note of $100	6 00
	14.	Check on Bank of New Hanover for credit of R. S. Webb, per his letter September 12	20 16
	16.	Cash received at Conference at Charlotte, [not stated.]	
		Cash from Prof. I. L. Wright, interest on endowment note	6 00
		Cash from H. B. Adams, in full of his note	10 00
		Cash from J. H. Cordon, in part payment of note	5 00
1886.			
Feb'y	9.	Sight Draft B. S. Graves, Sheriff, on Planters' National Bank, Danville, Va., balance from the Siddell estate	335 80
May	7.	Sight Draft on Elliott Bros., New York, from Rev. F. A. Bishop, collection in favor of Trinity on last year	14 00
June	11.	Post Office order from I. L. Wright, Thomasville, N. C., on his endowment note to July, 1886	6 00
			$3,731 25

DISBURSEMENTS.

As Treasurer, I have made the following disbursements:

1885.			
Jan.	8.	Paid amount due G. S. Bradshaw, Ashboro	$ 15 00
Feb.	7.	Paid Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix	414 38
	28.	Paid the Wachovia National Bank on principal of debt	1,796 53
	28.	Paid the Wachovia National Bank as interest on their debt to date	98 31
	28.	Paid First National Bank, Winston, balance due on note executed by L. S. Burkhead, Treasurer, Dec. 29, 1883, for $265	105 16
Mar.	24.	Paid for postage stamps and printing	5 54
June	13.	Paid O. W. Carr, insurance on College property	147 19
July	7.	Paid interest on Wachovia National Bank debt to August 28, 1885	40 80
Aug.	10.	Paid Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix, balance due on her claim in full	665 62
Aug.	10.	Paid Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix, interest,	32 55
Dec.	16.	Paid expenses in winding up Siddell estate	4 75
		Amount carried forward	$3,325 83

1886.	Amount brought forward	$3,325 83	
Jan'y 13.	Paid Robert Gray interest on note, $587.21, two years four months and eleven days to January 1, 1886	83 27	
Feb'y 9.	Paid check Geo. S. Bradshaw, Ashboro, N. C., on claim of his father, W. S. Bradshaw	294 94	
Mar. 24.	Paid check to J. W. Alspaugh, insurance paid O. W. Carr	60 25	
Mar. 29.	Paid check to O. W. Carr, insurance	125 00	
June 17.	Paid for stamps for mailing circulars	4 18	
			$3,893 47
1886.			
Dec. 1.	Subtracting the receipts from the disbursements shows balance due me as Treasurer	$ 162 22	

PRESENT INDEBTEDNESS OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

	The indebtedness of the College to date is		$7,483 30
	Distributed as follows:		
Dec. 1.	Amount due the endowment fund of Trinity College	$3,087 80	
" 1.	Balance due on Wachovia National Bank debt	1,003 47	
" 1.	Interest on this amount to date	80 27	
" 1.	Amount due Dr. R. W. Thomas, of Thomasville, N. C	1,027 43	
" 1.	Interest on this amount to date	82 19	
" 1.	Amount due Robt. Gray, Thomasville, N. C	587 21	
" 1.	Interest from January 1st to December 1st, 1886, eleven months at 8 per cent	43 06	
" 1.	Amount due W. S. Bradshaw, Trinity College	633 06	
" 1.	Interest from February 9th to December 1st, 1886, at 8 per cent	41 07	
" 1.	Amount due Trinity Building and Loan Association	735 52	
" 1.	Balance due J. S. Carr, Treasurer, on account of overdraft	162 22	
			$7,483 30

While the total debt of the College is $7,483.30, as shown above, $3,087 80 of this amount is due to the Endowment Fund of the College, and this is under our control. The balance, $4,395.50, is past due, and ought to be paid. In fact, some of the holders of claims against the College are declaring that they intend to sell the property without further delay.

INCREASE OF INDEBTEDNESS DURING 1886.

The Board of Management undertook only to run the College for two years, pledged to the creation of no new debt, yet the unpaid interest of the old debt, in the absence of any provision made to meet it, has increased the debt of the College during the past twelve months, $369.47.

The debt of the College in December, 1885, as reported by the Treasurer	$7,113 83
The debt of the College as reported by the Treasurer, December, 1886	7,483 30
Increase of the debt during the year 1886	$369 47

EXPECTATIONS.

There is a hope of realizing some time in the future about $1,000 from the sale of a parcel of land in Iredell county, also about $500 from an estate in Rowan county. Further than this the College has no assets in sight that I am aware of but a lot of notes and pledges, which, in my judgment, are almost, if not altogether, worthless.

THE ENDOWMENT FUND.

The following items constitute the Endowment Fund of Trinity College:

Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, executor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county, March 19th, 1885	$2,000 00	
Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, executor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county, August 10th, 1885	700 00	
Cash received from Jas. N. Watson to pay his note of equal amount, March 25th, 1885	50 00	
Amount received from J. M. McMichael, as interest due on his note which I hold as Treasurer, November 14th, 1885	2 00	
Sight draft of B. S. Graves, Sheriff, on Planters' National Bank, Danville, Va., balance from the Siddell estate, February 9th, 1886	335 80	
		$3,087 80

The Endowment Fund has been appropriated by the Board and used in liquidation of the indebtedness of the College to Mrs. Irene Craven, executrix; in reducing the amount of the mortgage note held by the Wachovia National Bank; in making partial payment on claim held against the College by Mr. W. S. Bradshaw, of Trinity College; in paying interest on the claims of the creditors, insurance premiums, etc. But the Board has never taken any

steps to secure to the Endowment Fund the amount advanced by it, and I earnestly beg that at this session of the Board the President of the Board of Trustees, or whoever is the proper party, be authorized to execute to Jas. A. Gray, or some suitable person, as trustee, a mortgage upon the property of the College to secure this loan. *This matter should be attended to by all means.*

The Committee of Management, consisting of Col. J. W. Alspaugh, Mr. Jas. A. Gray and myself, who, at the Wilmington Conference two years ago, undertook the management of the College for two years, hoping that in the meanwhile the church would inaugurate some plan to relieve the College of its financial embarrassment (but in this we have been disappointed), beg to surrender our charge to the Conference. We cannot consent longer to sustain the same relations to the institution. In our judgment the only hope for the College lies in a speedy endowment of the same, and to this matter we trust the Conference at this session will give its best thought.

I have in my possession notes and pledges amounting to $4,659 73, but the poor success I have met with in collecting leads me to conclude that they are, in a large measure, worthless.

My onerous duties, my brethren, *force me* to resign my position as Treasurer. But, in laying down the Treasurership, I relinquish none of my loyalty as a Methodist, or fealty to Trinity. Its embarrassed condition troubles me greatly, I do assure you, and I pledge my sympathies, co-operation and assistance to any movement promising relief, but *presssing* demands upon my time compel me to resign the Treasurership.

Praying heaven's blessings upon the College, and trusting our common Father at this session of the Conference will guide and assist us in inaugurating some plan for the speedy relief of the College from its unfortunate embarrassment, and will yet vouchsafe the College to the church, a bright jewel in the coronet of Methodism, I beg to subscribe myself, with much love and esteem, Your obedient servant, J. S. CARR.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

"I beg to recommend for the consideration of the Board the following suggestions:

1st. That arrangements be made at this session of the Board to secure to the Endowment Fund the loan which that fund has made to the Board, amounting to $3,087.80. To longer delay this important matter, in my humble judgment, would be both criminal and sinful.

2nd. That the Board at this session make arrangements to raise some ready cash to keep the insurance paid up on the College buildings, and defray some other cash expenses that will necessarily arise. It is of the utmost importance that the insurance upon the buildings be kept up, as the property is pledged as security for borrowed money.

3rd. I recommend further, that, at this session of the Conference, steps be taken to endow the College. It is useless to attempt to run the College any longer without an endowment; and with a suitable person to manage the move-

ment, and to canvass in the interest of an endowment, the purpose can be accomplished.

I nominate to the Board, for the purpose of canvassing and raising the endowment, the Hon. Thos. J. Jarvis. While I have no reason for saying so, it is my opinion that his services may be had for the purpose, and with him in the field the endowment is assured.

One more suggestion, if you please: that is, we make more ado over Trinity College. First, by giving the College a special day Conference week, known as "Trinity College day;" and also during the year let each pulpit have a "Trinity College day." We have heretofore done too much of our talking in behalf of Trinity College in basement rooms, back rooms, up-stairs rooms, and the like, with sparsely attended committees, who were always in a hurry. That the College has lived as long as it has, and accomplished the great amount of good it has, with such treatment, is to be wondered at. Take Trinity College from the rear and bring it to the front. Legislate about it, and speak about it in open Conference for a whole day, if necessary, every year, and send much of the other business that comes before the Conference, to the exclusion of Trinity College, to the committee rooms. Stir up an enthusiasm for Trinity all over the church, and you make the endowment of the College an easy matter."

J. S. C.

With the present Fall Term the management of the College by the committee, composed of Bros. J. W. Alspaugh, J. A. Gray and J. S. Carr, ceases, and the Conference resumes control.

We think it eminently proper that the Conference should remember with gratitude the care and liberality of these brethren, and that the College under their supervision has reached such a gratifying state of prosperity.

As some arrangements must be made to continue the work of this indispensable institution, your Board recommend the following resolutions for the consideration of the Conference:

Resolved, 1*st*. That the Board of Trustees be directed to secure a President for the College as early as possible.

2*nd*. That the Conference make an annual contribution of five thousand ($5,000.00) dollars to supplement the current expense fund and pay pressing debts, and that the apportionment of this sum to the Presiding Elders' Districts be made by the Treasurer of the Faculty, on the basis of the Conference Claimant Assessment, and that the Presiding Elders be charged with the duty of collection.

3*rd*. That all moneys raised on this collection be paid to the Treasurer of the Faculty and disbursed under the direction of the President of the College and President of the Board of Trustees, and that the Treasurer make a full report of receipts and disbursements to the next Annual Conference.

That Rev. J. F. Heitman be appointed Professor in Trinity College.

J. R. GRIFFITH, Chairman.

F. A. BISHOP, Secretary.

[Document No. 9.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We, your committee on Books and Periodicals, beg leave to submit the following report:

1st. We rejoice at the continued success and prosperity of our Publishing House at Nashville, Tennessee, and respectfully urge our people to patronize that institution in preference to all others. We call special attention to the *Nashville Christian Advocate*, our central organ, and insist that our people enlarge its circulation and thereby extend its usefulness.

2d. We are glad to see a continued improvement in our Sunday-school literature, yet we believe that there ought to be a stronger and more decided expression of the doctrines of Methodism in our Quarterlies and Magazines.

3d. We heartily recommend to our people The Methodist Armor and Catechism, by Dr. H. T. Hudson; Sketches of Pioneer Methodists in North Carolina and Virginia, by Rev. M. H. Moore; and the Catechism on Baptism, by Dr. L. S. Burkhead.

RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

4th. We note with pleasure the continued improvement and prosperity of the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*. Its editorial management, full corps of contributors, and neat mechanical appearance entitle it to high rank in the family of *Advocates*, and merits for it a place in all our Methodist families; therefore,

Resolved 1st, That we heartily endorse the *Raleigh Christian Advocate* as the organ of the North Carolina Conference, and that we will make increased efforts to extend its circulation.

Resolved 2d, That we request the presiding Bishop to appoint Rev. F. L. Reid editor of the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*.

THE QUARTERLY REVIEW.

5th. We have taken into consideration this very important publication, "The Southern Quarterly Review," issued at our Publishing House, and edited by Dr. Harrison. And appreciating, as the committee does, the necessity for such a publication of higher literature, and believing that the present editor will keep it up to the excellent standard reached by its former editor, Dr. Hinton, we most cordially commend it to all our people, and especially to our preachers and educated laymen.

L. J. HOLDEN, Chairman.

W. L. GRISSOM, Secretary.

[Document No. 10.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Board of Church Extension having completed its work for the present session, submits the following report:

The apportionments on the Districts for the year 1886, have been met in the following manner:

	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh District	$ 447 00	$ 290 25
Durham "	355 00	232 00
Greensboro "	358 00	272 00
Salisbury "	300 00	189 85
Shelby "	330 00	144 83
Charlotte "	338 00	92 32
Fayetteville "	397 00	207 00
Wilmington "	387 00	123 94
New Berne "	417 00	166 20
Washington "	305 00	109 93
Warrenton "	300 00	92 67
Statesville "	336 00	135 32
Trinity College "	230 00	159 30
	$4,500 00	$2,215 64
Anniversary collection		50 50
		$2,266 14
Forwarded to Rev. D. Morton		1,133 07
Remaining		$1,133 07
Cash on hand from last year		215 90
Remaining to be appropriated		$1,348 97

The above amount has been appropriated as follows:

Newton Grove, Newton Grove Mission, Raleigh District	$ 50 00
Siler, Pittsboro Circuit, Durham District	100 00
Front Street, Wilmington, Wilmington District	100 00
Boundary Street, Goldsboro, New Berne District	250 00
Bell's Ferry, LaGrange Circuit, New Berne District	50 00
Spring Hill, Lillington Circuit, Fayetteville District	100 00
Gastonia, Dallas Circuit, Shelby District	200 00
South Point, Gaston Circuit, Shelby District	50 00
Vanceboro, Swift Creek Mission, Washington District	75 00
Hobgood Fork, Scotland Neck Mission, Warrenton District	100 00
Goshen, Kernersville Circuit, Greensboro District	30 00
Centenary, Greensboro, Greensboro District	75 00
Moss', Iredell Circuit, Statesville District	50 00
Church Street, Charlotte, Charlotte District	70 00
Centenary, Davidson Circuit, Trinity College District	35 00
Incidentals	1 00
	$ 1,336 00

Assessments for 1887.

The assessments for the year 1887 being $4,500, it is recommended that the apportionment be as follows:

Raleigh	District	$ 427 00
Durham	"	330 00
Greensboro	"	340 00
Salisbury	"	308 00
Statesville	"	352 00
Shelby	"	346 00
Charlotte	"	372 00
Fayetteville	"	345 00
Wilmington	"	347 00
New Berne	"	402 00
Warrenton	"	328 00
Washington	"	318 00
Trinity College	"	285 00
Total		$4,500 00

We beg leave to call your attention to the law of the church in reference to the organization of "The Woman's Department of Church Extension," as embraced in the Discipline, chapter 11, section 3, Articles XI, XII, XIII and XIV, and in conformity therewith we recommend the organization of a department to be known as "The Woman's Department of the Church Extension Board of the N. C. Conference." This department shall adopt a constitution agreeable to the provisions of the Discipline. The general officers of the Woman's Department shall consist of a Secretary and Treasurer, and a District Secretary for each Presiding Elder's district.

We beg leave to appoint the following general officers for this Conference:

Secretary—Miss Bettie Carter, Durham, N. C.
Treasurer—Mrs. Dr. A. G. Carr, Durham, N. C.

District Secretaries.

Raleigh District—Miss Lillian Branson, Raleigh, N. C.
Durham District—Mrs. A. G. Headen, Pittsboro, N. C.
Greensboro District—Mrs. D. A. Robinson, Greensboro, N. C.
Salisbury District—Mrs. W. R. Odell, Concord, N. C.
Statesville District—Mrs. J. B. Connelly, Statesville, N. C.
Charlotte District—Mrs. T. D. Winchester, Monroe, N. C.
Shelby District—Miss Amanda Lee, Shelby, N. C.
Fayetteville District—Miss Belle Worthy, Jonesboro, N. C.
Wilmington District—Mrs. W. W. Hodges, Wilmington, N. C.
New Berne District—Miss Sarah Davis, Beaufort, N. C.
Washington District—Mrs. T. H. Gatlin, Tarboro, N. C.
Trinity College District—Miss Laura Clements, Lexington, N. C.
Warrenton District—Mrs. E. A. Thorne, Littleton, N. C.

We have unanimously adopted the following amendment to the Constitution of our Board, viz: To Article 6 add the following language, to-wit: "And also until the application shall have been approved and signed by the P. C. and P. E. of the District."

Our Board also passed unanimously the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, This Board is burdened and embarrassed by a large number of applications to near the amount of $5,000; and whereas, we have not more than $1,200 or $1,500 to distribute annually;

Resolved 1st, That we request our preachers to discourage our people from making application to said Board, unless it is absolutely necessary.

Resolved 2d. That we discourage our people from contracting debts on our church buildings and then applying to said Board to liquidate such debts.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. KENDALL, Secretary. T. H. PEGRAM, President.

[Document No. 11.]

REPORT No. 2, ON TEMPERANCE.

The committee on Temperance have had under careful consideration certain communications from the W. C. T. U., and present the following resolutions:

1st, That this Conference is in full sympathy with the W. C. T. U. in their praiseworthy efforts to suppress the traffic in ardent spirits in North Carolina, and we will aid them in every practicable way to secure this end.

2d. That we most heartily endorse the sentiments of the communication sent to this Conference, and we will comply with the request therein contained.

Signed P. GREENING, G. W. CALLAHAN,
R. P. TROY, R. H. WHITAKER,
W. A. WOOLLEN, A. G. GANTT,
J. T. ABERNETHY.

[Document No. 12.]

REPORT ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

(Adopted at Conference.)

Your committee on Church Property report as follows:

We find that during the Conference year 22 churches and 2 parsonages have been built at a total cost of $68,835. Total number of church buildings belonging to the Conference, 879; total number of parsonages belonging to the Conference, 104; total value of churches, parsonages and other church property belonging to the Conference, $1,132,344. There is a notable improvement in

the construction of a large number of the new churches as to comfort and architectural expression.

A number of the new churches completed this year, and in process of erection, are creditable to the generosity of our people and indicative of the material progress of Methodism in North Carolina.

The time has come in the history of our church when it is necessary that we should have in our cities and larger towns rooms specially equipped and furnished in order to insure the largest measure of success in the Sunday-school work.

There is a growing need for suitable parsonages on many of our stations, circuits and districts.

There has been considerable activity this year in securing and perfecting indefeasible titles to the property owned by the church, but some titles still remain unperfected.

In many localities the attendance upon the administration of the Word, and the successful operation of the Sunday-schools are materially interfered with by a lack of suitable heating arrangements in the churches.

Your committee therefore recommend,

1. That building committees, wherever practicable, adopt the modern and improved style of architecture in the construction of church buildings, holding in view the advantages to be derived from having separate apartments for the Sunday-school work.

2. That earnest efforts be made during the coming year by the preachers assigned to charges where there are no parsonages, to procure the erection of suitable dwellings, and that care be displayed in the location of the same.

3. That the Presiding Elders of the respective districts of our Conference be earnestly enjoined to require of every Board of Trustees in their districts, written reports as to the titles and condition of the church property, real and personal, under their control, and that as far as possible every defect as to title be corrected, that attention be paid to the condition of church buildings and parsonages needing repairs, and that wherever practicable, insurance against fire be effected.

4. That more attention be paid to the comfort in winter of those who attend church and the Sunday-school, that our churches be used solely in the service of God, and that the promiscuous and indifferent uses made of God's houses of worship be condemned by the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. F. BRUTON, Chairman.

[Document No. 13.]

REPORT No. 2 OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

MISSIONARY ASSESSMENTS.

Assessments of Missionary Board of North Carolina Conference for Conference year 1887:

		FOREIGN.	DOMESTIC.
Raleigh	District	$ 1,663 00	$ 749 00
Durham	"	1,300 00	572 00
Greensboro	"	1,354 00	610 00
Salisbury	"	1,229 00	547 00
Statesville	"	1,399 00	629 00
Shelby	"	1,371 00	615 00
Charlotte	"	1,473 00	660 00
Fayetteville	"	1,456 00	635 00
Wilmington	"	1,459 00	615 00
New Berne	"	1,641 00	740 00
Warrenton	"	1,294 00	580 00
Washington	"	1,230 00	500 00
Trinity College	"	1,124 00	550 00
		$17,993 00	$8,002 00

[Document No. 14.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE JOURNAL.

The committee on the Publication of the Conference Journal, report as follows:

Upon investigation we find that the Secretary, D. W. Bain, for the benefit of the Conference, has incurred the following expenses:

Printing 3,250 copies of Journal as ordered by last Conference	$266 24
Statistical and financial blanks for 1885	6 00
New Record book for Annual Conference	8 00
Statistical book as ordered by General Conference	1 00
	$281 24
Upon this there has been made, by payments upon minutes, a credit of	205 51
Leaving a balance due the publishers the sum of	$ 75 73

Of this amount, however, only $60.73 are due upon minutes, the remainder being upon other things.

In addition to this there is a deficiency of $15.00 from last year, owing to the fact that some of the amounts subscribed were not paid.

The reasons for the indebtedness upon the minutes are that a large number of preachers refused to subscribe for them, and that a large number of copies were not taken, the Conference having ordered an extra edition of 250 copies, which have been of no use, except as they have been freely used at this Conference.

Resolved, That the Conference proceed at once to raise the amount and pay the same over to the Secretary to be paid to the publishers. We also recommend that the Secretary, D. W. Bain, be authorized to publish 3,000 copies of the Journal of this session upon the plan the last Journal was published.

Resolved, That the roll of the Conference be called and each member be requested to respond to his name and state how many copies he will take and pay for at one dollar per dozen, postage or express charges to be added, to be paid by the purchaser.

W. L. CUNINGGIM, Secretary. N. M. JURNEY, Chairman.

GENERAL MINUTES.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial?

Answer. Edward H. Davis, John D. Pegram, Charles W. Robinson, Thos. N. Ivey, Zachariah J. Needham, Doctor Pinkney Tate, Martin T. Steele, Richard W. Townsend, Zadok Paris, Daniel C. Geddie, James G. Johnston, William H. Puckett, Hilliard M. Eure, George F. Smith, Henry B. Anderson, John M. Pool—16.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial?

Ans. George B. Perry, Erskine Pope, William S. Davis, Solomon Pool, James M. Downum, George W. Fisher, Robert M. Taylor, Joseph A. Green, Thomas C. Lovin, William H. Townsend, Curtis W. Godwin, Major T. Best, Theodore P. Bonner, Robert B. Gilliam, Amos Gregson, William A. Forbes, Charles J. Soon, William O. Hightower, class of first year, Bascom A. York, class of second year, Nathan H. Guyton, class of first year.—20.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued?

Ans. Valance G. Rollins.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection?

Ans. William R. Ware, Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, Condor P. Jerome, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, James R. Betts, William W. Rose, John E. Woosley, Alpheus E. Wiley—13.

Ques. 5. Who are re-admitted?

Ans. Enoch L. Stamey.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

Ans. None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year?

Ans. Marcus D. Giles, Barzilia C. Allred, James A. Bowles, Robert P. Troy, John E. Uunderwood, James M. Ashby, Daniel H. Tuttle, Hugh M. Blair, John B. Hurley, Roderick B. John, Frank M. Shamberger, Marshall A. Smith, Thomas J. Daily, Thomas S. Ellington, third year, Charles C. Brothers, third year, Wm. J. Crowson, third year, Thomas J. Browning, fourth year—17.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

Ans. Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, Jas. R. Betts, William W. Rose, John E. Woosley—10.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

Ans. Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, James R. Betts, William W. Rose, John E. Woosley—10.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons?

Ans. Richard H. Whitaker, Alexander Walker, Elwood E. Smith, Miles W. Long, William H. Harrell—5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons?

Ans. Richard H. Whitaker, Alexander Walker—2.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders?

Ans. John H. Hall, Clater W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Edward L. Pell, Alpheus McCullen, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee, Charles W. Byrd—9.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

Ans. James H. Hall, Clater W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Edward L. Pell, Alpheus McCullen, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee, Charles W. Byrd—9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders?

Ans. William H. Puckett, William S. Davis—2.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders?

Ans. William H. Puckett, William S. Davis—2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year?

Ans. None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary?

Ans. Isaac F. Keerans, William H. Call, Thomas C. Moses, Elisha J. Eudaily, James Willson, Isaac W. Avent, Thomas W. Smith, David R. Bruton—8.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated?

Ans. Willis S. Haltom, Daniel Culbreth, George E. Wyche, James W. Randall, Miles Foy, William W. Albea, Thomas L. Hoyle, Gaston Farrar, Edward Howland, Joseph H. Wheeler, Marcus C. Thomas, Hilary T. Hudson, Clarendon M. Pepper, Thomas S. Campbell, Henry H. Gibbons, Charles M. Anderson, John Tillett, James W. Wheeler, Simeon D. Peeler—19.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the year?

Ans. James Mahoney, William H. Watkins—2.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Ans. Their names were called one by one, and their characters examined and passed. John T. Bagwell expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Ans. Eighty-three thousand three hundred and ten.

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Ans. Two thousand six hundred and eighty-two.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Ans. Four thousand seven hundred and nine.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday-schools?

Ans. Eight hundred and eighty-six.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday-school teachers?

Ans. Six thousand and eighty-four.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars?

Ans. Fifty thousand nine hundred and eighty-three.

Ques 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Ans. Seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Ans. $5,250.22, and applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for missions?

Ans. Foreign, $10,769.70; Domestic, $4,547.00.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension?

Ans. $2,293 75.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value of, church edifices?

Ans. No. 879½; Value, $911,323.00.

Ques. 32, What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages?

Ans. No. 104; Value $133,765.00.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics?

Ans. Trinity College. Incorporated by act of General Assembly of North Carolina, ratified 28th of January, 1851, amended by act of 1858–'9, chapter 35. Value of buildings and grounds $30,000. Number of faculty 6; number of students enrolled the present year 170.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

Ans. Fayetteville, N. C.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

Ans. See Appointments.

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, BAPTISMS AND CHURCH PROPERTY, NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preachers	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
Raleigh—Edenton Street	2	925		47		22	5	1	$ 25,500	1	$ 4,000	$ 4,000	$ 4,187
Raleigh—Person Street	1	275		19		14	9	1	5,500	1	1,500		135
Brooklyn and M. Mission		133	1	4		11	5	3	2,600	1	700		976
Cary Circuit	1	311			59	9		6	1,500				
Rolesville Circuit	1	487			30	15	1	6	8,500	1	700		55
Smithfield Cir.	1	419		75		56		5	8,000	1	500		100
Clayton Circuit		328	2	21		35	4	6	1,000				15
Tar River Circuit	3	821	4		13	42	7	7	9,000	1	2,500		115
Youngsville Cir.		310		70		25	2	7	2,500			50	50
Louisburg Stat'n		155			6	6	8	2	3,750	1	2,000		435
Oxford Circuit	1	525	1	51		41	1	6	6,000			183	115
Henderson Stat'n		229		32			2	1	5,200				1,000
Buckhorn Circuit	5	679		49		52	7	6	4,000	1	800		75
Earpsboro Miss'n		172		92		65	1	3	1,000				800
Newton Grove Mission	2	422		102		65	6	5	1,500			100	100
Oxford Station	1	180		78		41	6	1					
Total	18	6001	8	640	108	502	64	66	$ 91,550	8	$ 12,700	$ 4,333	$ 8,158

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station	1	429		69		45	9	1	$ 20,000	1	$ 3,000	$	$ 3,200
Hillsboro Circuit		560	1	8		19	13	5	5,800				
Durham Circuit	1	520	1	20		20	2	6	3,500				200
Chapel Hill Sta.	1	215	8	13		4	2	2	3,000			1,300	525
Person Circuit	2	653		73		38	5	10	6,800	1	3,000		500
Leasburg Circuit	3	740	1	19		35	20	9	7,800	1	2,000		775
Alamance Cir		100	1	77		15		5	2,000	1	1,000		
Haw River Cir.	3	556			75	48	5	5	1,850				83
Pittsboro Circuit	2	836	3	68		60	20	10	8,700	1	600		550
Granville Circuit	1	471		22		25	2	6	5,000	1	1,000		700
West & East End		127				14		2	11,500				
Total	14	5510	15	389	75	356	78	61	$ 78,950	6	$ 10,600	$ 1,300	$ 6,533

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Sta.	3	390		30		12	2	2	$ 10,000	1	$ 3,500	$	$ 1,655
Guilford Circuit	2	729	2	61		40	11	6	4,000				200
East Guilford Cir		295		21		20	8	2	1,800			100	16
Pleasant Garden Circuit	1	417		35		32	1	6	2,500				
Winston Station	3	605		135		60	15	2	31,000				11,115
Forsyth Circuit	5	787		2		31	14	11	7,000	1	875		1,300
Stokes Circuit	2	656	1	79		37	5	10	8,450	1	800		
Madison Circuit	1	650	9	70		73	8	9	6,900			100	2,287
Ruffin Circuit	1	509		49		58	12	1	6,300				70
Reidsville Stat'n	1	272		62		22	6	1	3,250	1	500		211
Yanceyville Cir.		850				90	3	10	8,650	1	1,500	125	
Kernersville Cir.	2	458		56		41	6	7	4,900			1,000	200
Total	21	6,618	12	606		516	91	70	$ 94,750	5	$ 7,175	$ 1,325	17,094

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'rs	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
Salisbury Station	1	252	1	14		1	12	1	$ 10,000		$	$	$
Salisbury Circuit	1	483		30		11	10	5	1,816			180	516
Mocksville Cir.	1	780		50		32	13	7	7,000	1	1,000		
Rowan Circuit	1	435		22		4	23	5	5,500			50	27
Farmington Cir.	1	788		25		75	7	6	9,750	1	350		50
Concord Station	1	346		79		23	12	1	7,500	1	2,500		
Concord Circuit	1	461		179		37	16	5	4,450	1	800		70
Mt. Pleasant Cir.		654		188		25	30	6	5,000	1	800		75
Albemarle Cir.	3	950	2	170		66	70	5	6,000	1	600		79
Stanly Circuit		582		25		12	56	7	4,650	1	540		40
Big Lick Mission		200		30		9	12	3	2,100				100
Mt. Zion Station	1	304		43		6	19	1	3,000				
Enochville Cir.	1	360		22		3	27	1	3 000	1	500		350
Total	12	6,598	3	878		307	337	56	$ 69,786	8	7,090	$ 230	$ 1,307

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Stat'n		348					18	1	$ 18,000	2	$ 3,500	$ 200	$
Statesville Cir.		800		200		50	40	7	6,400	1	1,000		1,200
Mooresville Cir.	3	1011				5	32	4	4,000	1	1,000		117
Iredell Circuit	1	700				15	5	9	5,000	1	250		1,500
Rock Spring Cir.	1	1052		152		19	40	6	5,000	1	1,500	2,000	
Newton Circuit	1	548		105		14	39	8	6,400	1	1,000		9
Alexander Cir.	2	965		125		42	58	7	6,400	1	600	400	1,100
Caldwell Circuit	6	650		50		25	35	7	3,500	1	600		500
Lenoir Circuit	3	736		60		65	38	8	8,000	1	2,500		455
Wilkes Circuit	2	386			17	7	9	8	3,200			25	93
Roaring River Mission		137	3	15		8	8	4	400				170
Elkin and Jonesville		184		30		7		3	3,000				85
Mt Airy Station		164		4		1		1	2,500	1	1,000		27
Mt. Airy Circuit	7	360		16		16	8	7	2,700				
Dobson Circuit	3	141	6	30		30		8	3,000	1	300		214
Yadkinville Cir.	6	515	2	7		23	10	8	3,000	1	600		15
Catawba Circuit	1	752		41		8	50	5	2,400				
Total	36	9749	11	835	17	335	390	101	$ 82,600	13	$ 13,850	$ 2,825	$ 5,485

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station		190		24		2	2	1	$ 6,000	1	$ 1,500	$ 7,500	$ 25
Shelby Circuit	1	570		68		21	8	6	1,000				53
King's Mountain Circuit		300			24	3	12	2	2,500				25
Double Shoals Ct	3	843		73		20	6	8	3,000	1	500		
Forest City Cir.	2	650		16		11	6	8	3,800	1	800		27
Rutherfordton Ct	1	854	1	20		16	17	7	6,000	1	2,000		875
Columbus Miss'n	2	269	1		51			3	1,800	1	150		900
Morganton Cir.	3	525		41		12	34	7	5,000	1	1,000		75
Table Rock Cir.	1	617		9		11	35	7	4,000	1	600		21
Hickory Station		150		40			26	1	1,000	1	600		
South Fork Cir.	1	715		30		13	43	8	5,650	1	1,000		167
Dallas Circuit		554	1	88		25	8	6	5,100	1	700		83
Gaston Circuit	1	402	1		47	3	12	5	3,300	1	700	400	
Lincolnton Cir.	1	524				53	39	6	10,000				686
McDowell Circuit	2	600			48	10	30	8	8,000				1,000
Mt. Island Stat'n		53		1		7	7						
Happy Home Ct.	9	473		85		35	33	6	3,850			30	126
Antioch Mission		171				10	7	4	900				
Total	30	8134	4	495	170	255	325	93	$ 73,900	11	$ 9,550	$ 7,930	$ 4,063

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preachers	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
Charlotte—Tryon Street		300		64		14	1	$ 16,000	1	$ 4,000	$	$1,170
Charlotte—Church Street	2	107		7	2	6	1	2,200				70
Charlotte Circuit		306		85	14	26	3	1,500				
Matthews Circuit	1	366		79	15	21	3	3,600				48
Clark Creek Cir.	3	539	1	32	8	42	3	2,100	1	500	100	75
Pineville Circuit		338		14	4	18	4	10,000	1	800		
Pleasant Grove	3	865		122	30	73	5	4,500	1	500		200
Monroe Station		212		16	2	20	1	4,000	1	2,500		785
Monroe Circuit	2	630		100	63	6	8	1,100	1	550		
Wadesboro Sta.		181			5	4	1	3,000	1	2,000		136
Wadesboro Cir.	1	638		77	68	10	7	4,000	1	1,200		115
Ansonville Cir.		522	2	56	29	15	9	1,750	1	700		93
Lilesville Circuit	1	404		61	60	16	7	4,900	1	1,000		650
Total	13	5,408	3	619	94	300	271	53	$ 64,950	10	$ 13,750	$ 100	$3,342

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Sta.	2	475		25	37	5	1	$ 8,800	1	$ 2,500	$ 3,950	$ 136
Campbellton Mis		70		26	12	8	1	613				
Cumberland Cir.	1	560		45	26	11	5	5,400	1	700		76
Lumberton Cir.	2	465		25	13	6	5	4,900	1	1,200		364
Robeson Circuit	4	556	115	97	42	22	6	5,500	1	1,200		87
Laurinburg Cir.	2	457		29	9	30	3	4,000	1	750		40
St. John Station		325		9	1	5	2	3,600	1	2,000		25
Rockingham Sta.	2	385		65	18	15	1	6,000	1	1,500	1,200	25
Ashpole Mission.	2	290		73	8	25	5	3,750				25
Rockingham Cir.	3	674		36	24	24	7	5,045	1	700		14
Cape Fear Cir.	1	455			1	16	7	3,750			317	43
Lillington Cir		328		15	9	12	4	1,600			120	300
Carthage Circuit	1	880		40	47	21	7	5,250				175
Jonesboro Cir.		364		53		34	3	5,200	1	800	2,500	500
Manly Mission		261		51	12	9	4	2,124				287
Total	20	6,545	115	589	259	243	61	$ 65,532	9	$ 11,350	$ 8,087	$2,097

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington—Front Street		324		7		13			1	$ 6,000	$ 9,000	$ 4,200
Wilmington—Fifth Street		484		30	37	60	1	$ 4,000	1	1,500		1,017
Topsail Circuit	1	236		34	26	17	5	4,500	1	600	865	100
Duplin Circuit		476	3	18	14	7	5	5,000	1	800		142
Magnolia Circuit		398		67	51	42	7	6,000				
Clinton Circuit	2	1,402	5	108	166	41	10	10,000	1	1,550		1,000
Cokesbury Cir.	3	639		15	24	18	5	3,950	1	600	300	
Bladen Circuit	1	533		83	66	4	6	3,000	1	800		163
Elizabeth Circuit		388		60	16	32	6	4,800	1	1,000		10
Whiteville Cir.	1	308		20	12	4	4	6,400			150	98
Carver's Creek Ct		425		125	30	25	6	2,000				
Waccamaw Cir.	2	409	1	160	85	20	6	2,500				
Smithville Stat'n	1	230		71	16	10	1	1,200	1	600		68
Brunswick Cir.	1	738	1	130	75	30	9	4,000				30
Onslow Circuit		445		37	33		3	2,500				
Total	12	7,435	10	1265	651	323	74	$ 59,850	9	$ 13,450	$ 10,315	$6,828

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NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'rs	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages.
NEW BERNE DISTRICT.													
New Berne Stat'n	1	430	1	16	..	11	9	1	$ 10,500	1	$ 2,100	.....	$ 639
Goldsboro Stat'n	.....	302	.....	4	..	2	6	1	20,000	2	7,500	.....	.....
Wayne Circuit	1	460	.....	27	.....	15	5	5	6,300	1	800	.....	200
Goldsboro Cir.	1	103	.....	55	.....	60	6	1	2,500	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Olive Circuit	1	493	....	.....	30	15	11	7	6,100	1	1,200	.....	1,978
Kinsion Station	1	218	.....	28	.....	17	10	1	7,000	1	2,000	.....	1,900
Snow Hill Cir.	2	518	.....	28	.....	29	15	7½	7,000	1	1,000	.....	200
LaGrange Cir.	.....	432	.....	24	.....	28	2	5	2,500	1	500	.....	325
Lenoir Mission	.....	82	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	35	.....	.....	.....	.....
Craven Circuit	1	275	.....	3	.....	13	8	4	2,400	1	600	.....	30
Jones Circuit	2	427	.....	32	.....	36	11	5	3,400	1	900	.....	.....
Morehead Stat'n	.....	200	.....	10	.....	6	5	1	2,500	.....	.....	.....	70
Beaufort Station	1	293	.....	17	.....	23	12	1	3,000	.....	.....	.....	71
Carteret Circuit	1	356	.....	36	.....	35	5	4	3,4 0	.....	.....	200	165
Neuse Mission	1	125	.....	21	.....	16	2	3	1,350	.....	.....	.....	30
Pamlico Circuit	.....	350	1	75	.....	50	.....	7	3,200	.....	.....	40	75
Straits Circuit	2	196	.....	10	.....	4	36	2	800	.....	.....	.....	50
Core Sound Miss.	.....	88	.....	5	.....	4	1	2	600	.....	.....	10	81
Total	15	5,678	2	388	31	395	141	61½	$ 82,585	10	$ 16,900	$ 250	$5,823
WARRENTON DISTRICT.													
Warrenton Cir.	1	309	2	16	.....	3	4	3	$ 3,500	1	$ 700	$	$ 800
Warren Circuit	1	712	.....	136	.....	63	17	8	6,100	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ridgeway Circuit	.....	494	2	30	.....	15	10	5	3,500	1	1,000	.....	75
Roanoke Circuit	2	449	.....	17	.....	3	5	5	7,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weldon & Halifax	1	211	1	10	.....	5	9	2	5,200	.....	.....	.....	5
Halifax Circuit	.....	402	.....	10	.....	5	7	6	5,000	1	900	.....	.....
Scotland Neck Mission	1	125	.....	10	.....	10	4	1	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wilson Station	1	217	.....	.....	2	3	.....	1	6,000	.....	.....	100	.....
Wilson Mission	1	609	1	113	.....	81	1	11	2,900	.....	.....	.....	534
Nashville Cir.	1	350	.....	.....	.....	14	1	7	3,500	.....	.....	.....	761
Edgecombe Cir.	1	274	.....	60	.....	55	7	1	7,500	.....	.....	.....	1,005
Total	10	4,182	6	402	2	257	65	56	$ 53,200	3	$ 2,600	$ 100	$3,180
WASHINGTON DISTRICT.													
Tarboro & Bethel	2	501	.....	70	.....	64	7	2	$ 6,500	1	$ 2,000	$	$ 522
South Edgec'mbe	.....	278	.....	.....	7	15	2	2	3,500	.....	.....	.....	109
Williamston Cir.	3	293	.....	30	.....	42	10	6	4,500	1	1,200	.....	750
Greenville Stat'n	1	131	.....	29	.....	11	11	1	3,000	1	1,500	260	187
Pitt Mission	2	332	2	53	.....	53	.....	8	2,450	.....	.....	.....	.....
Swift Creek Miss.	1	206	.....	.....	15	9	.....	3	600	.....	.....	.....	100
Aurora Circuit	2	349	.....	45	.....	20	11	4	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington Sta.	.....	208	.....	3	.....	.....	9	1	8,000	1	1,400	.....	63
Bath Circuit	1	341	.....	32	.....	29	20	4	3,000	.....	.....	200	.....
Plymouth Stat'n	1	137	1	13	.....	7	10	1	4,150	.....	.....	.....	.....
Columbia Circuit	.....	346	.....	.....	.....	4	16	5	3,500	1	600	.....	.....
Mattamuskeet Ct	1	402	.....	15	.....	16	18	3	5,000	1	1,800	.....	75
Fairfield Station	.....	74	1	9	.....	2	3	1	6,000	1	600	.....	65
Hatteras Mission	3	577	1	.....	.....	.....	45	4	1,400	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portsmouth and Ocracoke	.....	60	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	1,000	.....	.....	.....	300
Swan Quarter Ct.	.....	256	.....	21	.....	17	5	3	3,000	.....	.....	.....	160
Total	17	4,491	5	320	24	289	169	50	$ 58,200	7	$ 9,100	$ 460	$2,031

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'rs	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
Randolph Circuit	3	918	.....	62	.....	25	13	12	$ 6,700	1	$ 700	$ 50,000	$1,500
Thomasville and High Point	.....	358	.....	37	.....	20	15	2	4,800	.....	.....	.....	.....
Davidson Circuit	1	845	.....	55	.....	50	26	10	6,500	1	2 000	.....	87
Lexington Stat'n	.....	141	.....	7	.....	2	5	1	4,500	.....	.....	.....	192
Abbott's Creek Mission	.....	105	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2	800	.....	.....	.....	.....
Randleman Sta	.....	316	.....	.....	.....	8	4	2	7,000	1	2,000	.....	.....
Franklinville Cir	1	311	...	60	.....	17	.....	6	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deep River Cir	4	816	1	20	.....	25	1	11	3,700	.....	.....	.....	.....
Uwharrie Circuit	1	411	....	50	...	25	28	4	2,500	1	250	.....	.....
Montgomery Cir.	.....	517	....	.....	22	17	1	10	5,750	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pekin Circuit	.....	612	12	70	.....	49	9	7	2,000	.....	.....	.....	100
Mt. Gilead Cir.	1	650	.....	75	.....	44	62	7	5,000	1	1,000	.....	660
Jackson's Hill Ct	.....	491	.....	51	.. ..	39	16	7	1,000	.....	.....	.....	225
Total	11	6,521	14	487	23	321	180	81	$ 53 250	5	$ 5,950	$ 50,000	$3,064

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Local Preach'rs	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
Raleigh	18	6001	8	640	108	502	64	66	$ 91,550	8	$ 12,700	$ 4,333	$8,158
Durham	14	5510	15	369	75	356	78	61	78,950	6	10,600	1,300	6,533
Greensboro	21	6618	12	606	.. ..	516	91	70	94,750	5	7,175	1,325	17,094
Salisbury	12	6598	3	878	.....	307	337	56	69,766	8	7,090	230	1,307
Statesville	36	9749	11	835	17	335	390	101	82,6 0	13	13,850	2,825	5,485
Shelby	30	8134	4	495	170	255	325	93	73,900	11	9,550	7,930	4,063
Charlotte	13	5498	3	619	91	300	271	53	64,950	10	13,750	100	3,342
Fayetteville	20	6515	115	589	.....	2 9	243	61	65,532	9	11,350	8,087	2,097
Wilmington	12	7435	10	1265	.....	651	323	74	59,850	9	13,450	10,315	6,828
New Berne	15	5678	2	398	31	361	146	57½	85,735	10	16,600	250	5,823
Warrenton	10	4182	6	402	2	257	65	56½	53,200	3	2,600	100	3,080
Washington	17	4491	5	320	24	289	169	50	58,200	7	9.100	460	2,031
Trinity College	11	6524	14	487	23	321	180	81	53,250	5	5,950	50,000	3,064
Total	229	82873	208	7903	176	1709	2682	879½	$911,323	104	$133,765	$ 87,256	68,835
Total last year	240	77491	187	.. ..	.....	3117	2466	857½	984,290	102	140,910	.....	71,757
Increase	.....	5382	28	.....	.....	1592	116	22	.....	2	.....	.. ..	.....
Decrease	11	.....	.....	.....	.. .	.....	.....	.....	72,967	....	7,145	.....	2,922

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENS'N		EDUCATION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
	Ass'd	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Raleigh—Edenton Street	$270	$270	$ 85	$ 85	$ 75	$ 75	$ 40	$12 36	$ 57 32
Raleigh—Person Street	75	40	25	25	15	12	5 70	.....	.....
Brooklyn and Macedonia Miss	10	10	8	8	7	7	.....	.....	.....
Cary Circuit	120	74	48	30	40	24	.....	.....	.....
Rolesville Circuit	150	50	55	20	40	17	10	.....	.....
Smithfield Circuit	120	50	55	30	40	20	10	3 20	85
Clayton Circuit	75	20	25	15	15	4	2	.....	.....
Tar River Circuit	275	248	85	72	58	48	20	.....	69
Youngsville Circuit	90	25	25	13	15	3	5	.....	.....
Louisburg Station	90	63	28	35	20	15	10	.....	17 93
Oxford Station	110	77	45	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxford Circuit	125	125	45	45	30	30	20	.....	.....
Henderson Station	110	110	45	45	26	26	15	.....	.....
Buckhorn Circuit	80	40	40	20	30	7	.....	.....	.....
Earpsboro Mission	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	.....	.....
Newton Grove Miss	10	10	5	5	7	7	7	.....	.....
Total	1185 00	1217 00	$624 00	$491 00	$423 00	$297 00	$ 149 70	$15 56	$ 229 25

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station	$196	$198	$ 74	$ 74	$ 56	$ 56	$ 125	.....	$ 25
Durham Circuit	122	100	45	31	32	15	.....	.....	.....
West and East End Mission	.....	.....	12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hillsboro Circuit	91	75	33 50	25	25	20	10	.....	.....
Chapel Hill	69	69	25	25	19	9	10	.....	.....
Person Circuit	160	84	66	34	40	10	.....	.....	.....
Leasburg Circuit	174	125	63	60	18	30	60	.....	20
Alamance Circuit	91	91	33	33	25	20	.....	.....	.....
Haw River Circuit	139	140	50	51 75	37	37	25	.....	.....
Pittsboro Circuit	139	114	50	41	37	27 50	.....	.....	.....
Granville Circuit	119	81	46	38	34	18	22	.....	.....
Total	1300 00	1077 00	$491 50	$424 75	$353 00	$242 50	$ 252 00	.....	$ 45 00

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Station	$192	$192	$ 74	$ 74	$ 50	$ 50	.....	.....	215
Guilford Circuit	96	96	37	20	23	23	13	.....	2 50
East Guilford Cir	57	28	22	22	17	17	11	.....	.....
Pleasant Garden Cir	57	37	22	15	17	11	11	.....	.....
Winston Station	242	242	87	87	60	60	35	.....	221 40
Forsyth Circuit	90	81	35	31	25	22	13	.....	.....
Stokes Circuit	96	52	37	26	27	15	5	.....	.....
Madison Circuit	100	100	46	46	29	29	14	30	4
Ruffin Circuit	96	84	37	33	26	21	14	.....	4
Reidsville Station	122	109	46	28	28	26	18	8	120
Yanceyville Circuit	150	75	50	23	36	18	19	.....	.....
Kernersville Cir	57	24	22	18	17	6	5	.....	.....
Total	1355 00	1120 00	$515 00	$423 00	$355 00	$298 00	158 00	38 00	566 90

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION		EDUCATION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Salisbury Station	$135	$ 60	$ 49	$ 28	$ 33	$ 13	12	3 56	15 90
Salisbury Circuit	93	69	30	20	22	14	3 57	40	....
Mocksville Circuit	130	52	48	24	30	8	10 20	.....	.....
Rowan Circuit	68	38	25	14	18	9	2 40	.....	....
Farmington Circuit	153	138	16	16	30	5	.....	.....	.....
Concord Station	108	130	38	40	25	25	16	.....	.....
Concord Circuit	82	84	30	31	21	21	11	.....	20
Mount Pleasant Cir.	120	131	13	45	29	29	16	.....	.....
Albemarle Circuit	110	145	51	56	32	34	18	.....	44
Stanly Circuit	80	42	30	20	20	6	10	4	.....
Big Lick Mission	.....	.....	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Zion Station	75	55	22	22	20	20	.....	.....	.....
Enochsville Circuit	40	45	20	15	5	4	.....	.....	.....
Total	1224 00	$989 00	$447 00	$346 00	$285 00	$188 00	99 17	47 56	79 90

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Station	$ 84	$ 84	$ 33	$ 32	$ 29	$ 12	.....	20	.....
Statesville Circuit	81	50	31	26	22	10	.....	.....	.....
Mooresville Circuit	145	58	52	18	28	6	.....	.....	.....
Iredell Circuit	145	85	42	25	28	15	.....	.....	.....
Rock Spring Cir	145	110	52	40	28	20	6 25	.....	.....
Newton Circuit	65	65	24	24	16	16	.....	.....	.....
Catawba Circuit	65	36	24	17	16	7	.....	.....	.....
Alexander Circuit	111	55	32	20	23	12	.....	.....	.....
Caldwell Circuit	80	53	30	11	18	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lenoir Circuit	125	97	40	35	23	18	4	.....	.....
Wilkes Circuit	65	23	25	18	18	5	.....	.....	.....
Roaring River Miss.	.....	2	.....	2	.....	1	4 50	.....	.....
Elkin & Jonesville	75	15	30	11	18	3	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Airy Station	70	40	30	12	28	6	.....	.....	30
Mt. Airy Circuit	50	12	25	8	16	1	.....	.....	.....
Dobson Circuit	40	5	21	2	16	2	.....	.....	.....
Yadkinville Circuit	60	4	25	2	18	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1406 00	$794 00	$515 00	$303 00	$336 00	$134 00	14 75	20 00	30 00

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station	$ 75	$ 75	$ 27	$ 27	$ 17	$ 17	12	.....	.....
Shelby Circuit	85	48	35	15	22	10	4	4	....
King's Mt. Circuit	70	35	30	15	24	10	5 50	.....	....
Dallas Circuit	110	80	40	20	25	10	.....	.....	.....
Gaston Circuit	100	32	35	22	25	8	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Island Station	13	13	5	5	3	3	2	.....	.....
Lincolnton Circuit	100	17	45	20	25	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Fork Circuit	110	110	48	48	25	25	16 50	.....	33
Hickory Station	70	30	27	13	15	8	.....	.....	1
Happy Home Cir	60	28	22	14	15	5	3 60	.....	2
Morganton Circuit	100	65	40	20	23	12	10	.....	.....
Table Rock Circuit	100	72	30	22	23	17	6	.....	.....
McDowell Circuit	72	53	45	15	17	5	5	.....	.....
Double Shoals Cir	100	33	40	19	25	7	15 50	5	....
Forest City Circuit	70	25	25	14	15	7	.....	.....	....
Rutherfordton Cir	100	67	30	20	23	11	.....	.....	15
Antioch Mission	12	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Columbus Mission	25	16	7	7	5	5	.....	.....	.....
Total	1372 00	$803 00	$531 00	$316 00	$ 27 00	$160 00	80 10	9 00	51 00

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION		EDUCATION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Charlotte—Tryon Street	$260	$163	$ 95	$ 64	$ 65	$			
Charlotte—Church Street	40	35	10	6	6	3			
Charlotte Circuit	10	18	10	2	11	25	4 35		
Matthews Circuit	90	48	20	13	10	5	6		18
Clear Creek Circuit	100	15	35	17	25	10	15		
Pineville Circuit	120	19	50	20	30		5	12	7
Pleasant Grove Cir.	100	25	35	8	20	3	10 75	18	
Monroe Station	160	100	55	10	38	6	20	15	
Monroe Circuit	100	25	25	16	18	3		18	
Wadesboro Station	110	31	15	18	25	5	10 3		
Wadesboro Circuit	120	120	50	31	30	12			5
Ansonville Circuit	120	120	50	50	30	30	4 25		15
Lilesville Circuit	120	100	40	41	25	15			
Total	1486 00	$879 00	$525 00	$332 00	$333 00	$ 92 25	75 65	63 00	45 00

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Stat'n	$195	$195	$ 65	$ 65	$ 55	$ 55	25		90
Campbellton Miss									
Cumberland Circuit	80	45	35	23	24	14			6 75
Lumberton Circuit	130	65	50	25	33	10	15		
Robeson Circuit	150	65	50	25	38	10	10		
Ashpole Mission	10	10	5	5	3	3	5		7
Laurinburg Circuit	145	69	50	50	39	39	22		117
St. John's Station	115	88	59	10	39	23			2 50
Rockingham Cir		70		25		8	5		
Rockingham Stat'n	80	18	35	20	20	1	20		
Manly Mission	10	15	5	7	3	4			
Carthage Circuit	120	100	40	40	50	30	20		
Jonesboro Circuit	125	53	50	30	35	20	20		14
Cape Fear Circuit	70	70	30	7	15	10	15		
Lillington Circuit	30	10	14	6	10		1		
Total	1290 00	$903 00	$179 00	$368 00	$344 00	$227 00	161 00		237 25

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington—Front Street	$200	$ 65	$ 75	$ 45	$ 35	$ 5			
Wilmington—Fifth Street	85	85	27	27	27	27	11		
Topsail Circuit	119	20	36	20	22				
Duplin Circuit	119	31	55	10	25	2			43
Magnolia Circuit	87		25	11	15		4 90		
Clinton Circuit	140	140	50	10	35	35	7		41
Cokesbury Circuit	123	38	16	14	25	7	15		
Bladen Circuit	128	40	46	24	25	7	12 17		
Elizabeth Circuit		40		25		9	10		
Whiteville Circuit	51	27	25	15	15	5	9		
Carver's Creek Cir	50	15	20	4	10	3			
Waccamaw Circuit	30	6	10	2	10	1			
Smithville Station	56	56	20	20	15	15	10		
Brunswick Circuit	76	28	25	17	15	6	9	13	
Onslow Circuit	75	23	25	8	15				
Total	1339 00	$614 00	$485 00	$282 00	$289 00	$122 00	88 37	13 00	87 00

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &C.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXT'NSI'N		EDUCATION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
	Ass'd	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
New Berne Station..	$203	$203	$ 76	$ 76	$ 48	$ 48	30	.....	23
Goldsboro Station...	206	185	76	76	48	20	30	28	.....
Goldsboro Circuit .	70	70	25	13	16	8	10	.....	.....
Wayne Circuit.....	126	82	47	47	30	15	19	.....	27
Mt. Olive Circuit,....	118	12	45	16	28	10	17	.....	26
Kinston Station.....	118	40	45	35	28	.....	7	.....	.....
Snow Hill Circuit ...	135	66	51	30	32	9	20	.....	135
LaGrange Circuit.. ..	85	30	32	12	20	9	12	.....	.....
Lenoir Circuit	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Craven Circuit.....	85	34	32	15	22	2	12	.....	2
Jones Circuit	118	18	45	16	28	10	8	50	.....
Morehead Station...	76	26	28	15	18	6	9	.....	.....
Beaufort Station.....	118	90	45	45	28	10	4	.....	7
Carteret Circuit.....	70	50	25	24	16	13	10	.....	.....
Neuse Mission	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pamlico Circuit.....	85	4	32	3	20	3	12	.....	.....
Straits Circuit.....	12	6	16	4	10	2	6	.....	.....
Core Sound Mission	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	$1656 00	$976 00	$620 00	$427 00	$392 00	$165 00	206 00	28 50	220 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Circuit..	150	$ 6	$ 60	.....	$ 5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warren Circuit.....	150	75	56	24	35	18	20	18	.....
Ridgeway Circuit....	150	72	56	50	35	10	22	15	.....
Roanoke Circuit	100	70	37	28	23	16	10 70	.....	.....
Weldon and Halifax Station.....	89	64	31	34	21	20	12 30	.....	18 50
Scotland Neck Miss	58	.....	28	2	13	.....	5	.....	.....
Halifax Circuit	100	20	37	10	35	3	.....	.....	.....
Wilson Station.....	200	83	75	75	47	20	1. 35	.....	51 43
Wilson Mission.....	84	10	31	8	19	2	.....	.....	.....
Nashville Circuit.. ..	34	5	31	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....
Edgecombe Circuit..	130	60	49	24	30	3	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	$1295 00	$465 00	$494 00	$255 00	$282 00	$ 92 00	81 35	33 00	69 93

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station	$150	$ 43	$ 47	34	28	7	10	.....	.....
Tarboro and Bethel Station	130	105	48	37	38	16	17	.....	28
So. Edgecombe Cir..	130	50	49	35	39	16	15	.....	5
Williamston Cir ...	100	20	39	10	37	.....	14	7	300
Greenville Station...	100	75	39	39	39	22	28	.....	6
Pitt Mission.....	50	1	14	5	15	2	4	4	.....
Swift Creek Missi'n	13	3	9	2	10	.....	2	.....	.....
Aurora Circuit.....	65	35	25	10	25	10	9	.....	.....
Bath Circuit.....	65	15	25	5	25	1	10	.....	3
Plymouth Station ..	85	50	33	33	30	10	2 25	.....	.....
Columbia Station....	100	12	40	10	30	4	13 25	.....	.....
Mattamuskeet Cir..	115	42	45	18	35	4	8 91	.....	.....
Fairfield Station, ..	60	10	20	10	20	5	9	.....	.....
Swan Quarter Cir....	65	22	22	12	20	5	7 75	.....	.....
Hatteras Mission.....	20	20	10	10	6	6	3	.....	.....
Portsmouth and Ocracoke	9	70	5	5	2	.....	1	.....	4
Total	1237 00	$533 70	$470 00	$275 00	$399 00	$108 00	$ 154 16	$11 0	$ 316 00

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSION		EDUCATION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid			
Randolph Circuit	$126	$ 84	$ 50	$ 30	$ 30	$ 20	$ 23	.....	$ .....
Thomasville and High Point	83	15	31	20	17	10	12	12	75
Davidson Circuit	130	91	30	30	25	15	17	.....	.....
Lexington Station	68	68	25	25	13	10	9	.....	.....
Abbott's Creek Miss	10	3	4	.....	4	.....	2	.....	.....
Randleman Station	110	110	10	10	24	21	191	.....	.....
Franklinsville Cir	66	15	20	13	12	8	10	.....	.....
Deep River Circuit	121	90	15	30	21	15	16	.....	.....
Uwharrie Circuit	75	75	30	26	15	12	9	.....	.....
Jackson Hill Cir	60	55	20	16	11	9	8	.....	.....
Montgomery Cir	60	60	25	25	12	6	10	6	.....
Pekin Circuit	80	80	30	20	16	10	11	.....	.....
Mt. Gilead Circuit	135	105	50	30	27	20	18	.....	11 00
Total	$1121 00	$911 00	$400 00	$305 00	$230 00	$159 00	$336 00	$18 00	$ 89 00

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.		CHURCH EXTENSION.		EDUCATION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Raleigh	$1465	$1217	$ 624	$ 491	$ 423	$ 297	$ 149 70	$15 50	$ 229 25
Durham	1300	1077	491 50	424 75	353	212 50	262	.....	45
Greensboro	1355	1120	515	423	357	298	158	38	566 90
Salisbury	1221	989	447	346	285	188	90 17	47 56	79 90
Statesville	1106	794	515	302	336	134	14 75	20	30
Shelby	1372	803	531	316	327	160	80 10	9	51
Charlotte	1180	879	525	332	333	92 25	75 65	63	15
Fayetteville	1290	903	479	368	341	227	161	.....	237 25
Wilmington	1339	614	485	282	289	122	88 37	13	87
New Berne	1656	976	620	427	392	165	206	28 50	220
Warrenton	1295	165	491	255	282	92	81 35	33	69 93
Washington	1237	533 70	470	275	399	108	154 16	11	346
Trinity Coll'ge	1124	911	400	505	230	159	336	18	89
Total	17543 00	11281 70	$6599 50	$4547 75	$4350 00	$2284 75	$1856 25	$96 62	$2096 23
Total last year	10975 13		1555 10		2101 36	$160 38			
Increase					183 39				
Decrease	306 57		7 36				1304 13		

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Raleigh—Edenton St. Station	1	38	375	$ 43 20		
Raleigh—Person St. Station	1	21	168	116 84		
Brooklyn and Macedonia Miss.	1	23	200	46 00		
Cary Circuit	3	19	132	37 53		
Rolesville Circuit	5	27	211	18 50		
Smithfield Circuit	5	43	310	100 00		
Clayton Circuit	6	36	340	5 00		
Tar River Circuit	9	64	510	132 00		
Youngsville Circuit	6	26	250	10 00		
Louisburg Station	2	23	127	26 89	12 25	
Oxford Station	1	20	240	50 00		
Oxford Circuit	7	31	357	28 94		
Henderson Station	1	16	123	20 00	15 94	
Buckhorn Circuit	6	25	325	24 00	7 00	
Earpsboro Mission	4	30	250	10 00		
Newton Grove Mission	5	25	350	25 00		
Total	63	467	4,268	$ 703 90	$ 33 19	

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station	1	38	267	$ 400 00	$ 74 36	
Durham Circuit	8	50	375	90 00		
West and East End Mission	2	51	411	281 75		
Hillsboro Circuit	5	29	312	68 25	14 00	
Chapel Hill	2	17	130	37 50		
Person Circuit	9	38	336	25 00		
Leasburg Circuit	8	61	394	88 16		
Alamance Circuit	5	25	285	25 00		
Haw River Circuit	6	66	551	233 08		
Pittsboro Circuit	10	55	535	60 00		
Granville Circuit	5	31	274	21 25		
Total	61	461	3,850	$ 1,329 99	$ 88 36	

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Station	3	50	188	$ 151 00	$ 41 00	$
Guilford Circuit	8	43	361	11 00		
East Guilford Circuit	3	28	235	32 15		
Pleasant Garden Circuit	5	17	225	5 00		
Winston Station	3	46	522	300 00		150 00
Forsyth Circuit	6	68	517	50 00		
Stokes Circuit	6	35	235	10 00		
Madison Circuit	10	65	452	31 17		
Ruffin Circuit	5	30	230	16 00		
Reidsville Circuit	1	24	120	73 91	30 19	
Yanceyville Circuit	9	84	377	13 72		
Kernersville Circuit	4	30	309	35 00		
Total	63	520	4,071	$ 1,064 95	$ 71 19	$ 150 00

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &C.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Salisbury Station	1	22	131	$ 18 40	$ 3 80	
Salisbury Circuit	7	45	525	7 19	2 05	
Mocksville Circuit	7	45	375	20 00	23 68	
Rowan Circuit	5	49	365	17 98	13 09	
Farmington Circuit	7	43	491	70 00	5 50	
Concord Station	2	38	300	60 90	64 00	154 73
Concord Circuit	4	32	198	23 25		
Mount Pleasant Circuit	6	68	473	8 47	60 18	
Albemarle Circuit	9	43	690	115 00		
Stanly Circuit	7	42	450	10 00		
Big Lick Mission	2	8	130	2 60		
Mt. Zion Station	1	19	145	33 51		
Enochsville Circuit	4	20	210	31 69		
Total	62	474	4,579	$ 528 03	$ 169 60	$ 154 73

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Station	1	19	150	$ 40 00	$ 35 00	
Statesville Circuit	6	70	375	20 00		
Mooresville Circuit	4	38	362	76 75		
Iredell Circuit	8	58	401	16 00		
Rock Spring Circuit	10	57	551	50 81		
Newton Circuit	7	37	355	28 59		
Catawba Circuit	5	20	226			
Alexander Circuit	7	65	550			
Caldwell Circuit	6	24	350	6 00		
Lenoir Circuit	8	54	441	50 00		
Wilkes Circuit	5	17	156	3 00		
Roaring River Mission	2	6	45			
Elkin and Jonesville	3	16	125	6 00		
Mt. Airy Station	1	11	114	40 62		
Mt. Airy Circuit	5	20	175	12 00		
Dobson Circuit	8	20	250	2 50		
Yadkinville Circuit	8	35	300	10 00		
Total	94	562	4,920	$ 362 28	$ 35 00	

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station	1	16	112	$ 55 69	$ 6 77	
Shelby Circuit	6	50	360	15 00		
King's Mountain Circuit	2	22	175	65 56		
Dallas Circuit	7	35	300	25 00		
Gaston Circuit	5	30	250	10 00		
Mountain Island Station	1	10	90			
Lincolnton Circuit	7	40	240			
South Fork Circuit	9	50	674	38 50		
Hickory Station	1	14	114	40 00	16 00	
Happy Home Circuit	7	48	433	27 52	3 05	
Morganton Circuit	6	48	325	40 00		
Table Rock Circuit	7	40	320	25 30		
McDowell Circuit	7	35	350	40 00		
Double Shoals Circuit	6	45	450	12 00		
Forest City Circuit	5	25	200	1 00		
Rutherfordton Circuit	7	32	315	27 45		
Antioch Mission	3	15	79	6 88		
Columbus Mission	3	12	150			
Total	90	567	4,937	$ 429 90	$ 25 82	

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Charlotte—Tryon St. Station	1	26	228	$ 205 00	$ 163 00	$
Charlotte—Church St. Station	1	8	110	50 00	10 00	
Charlotte Circuit	3	14	100	20 00		
Mathews Circuit	2	19	188	23 00		
Clear Creek Circuit	3	15	135	35 00		
Pineville Circuit	5	25	250	28 00	25 00	
Pleasant Grove Circuit	7	68	580	75 00		
Monroe Station	1	21	170	53 55		
Monroe Circuit	8	59	459	33 07		
Wadesboro Station	1	11	115	39 00		
Wadesboro Circuit	8	65	149	35 00		
Ansonville Circuit	9	49	105	55 90		
Lilesville Circuit	7	30	350	1 25	6 00	
Total	56	413	3,569	$ 653 77	$ 204 30	$

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Station	1	34	150	$ 38 21	$	$
Campbellton Mission	1	7	43	3 80		
Cumberland Circuit	5	38	300	16 00		
Lumberton Circuit	1	35	270	75 00		
Robeson Circuit	7	35	375	35 00		
Ashpole Mission	5	18	190	15 85		
Laurinburg Circuit	2	16	170	83 04		
St. John's Station	2	13	175	25 00		
Rockingham Station	1	39	291	105 00		
Rockingham Circuit	7	33	376	33 20		
Manly Mission	6	25	237	23 67		
Carthage Circuit	5	45	306	20 00		19 00
Jonesboro Circuit	3	25	155	63 65		
Cape Fear Circuit	6	58	310	40 00		
Lillington Circuit	7	30	200	8 00		
Total	65	441	3,578	$ 585 12	$	$ 19 00

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington—Front St. Station	1	26	200	$ 150 00	$	$
Wilmington—Fifth St. Station	2	26	220	179 79	26 00	
Topsail Circuit	7	32	298	22 00		
Duplin Circuit	5	30	260	55 25		
Magnolia Circuit	5	21	250	18 00		
Clinton Circuit	13	83	801	86 87	19 10	
Cokesbury Circuit	5	46	429	16 94		
Bladen Circuit	8	52	330	35 00		
Elizabeth Circuit	5	12	125	15 00		
Whiteville Circuit	7	50	279	12 00	12 50	31 13
Carver's Creek Circuit	1	12	125	30 00		
Waccamaw Circuit	6	36	370	50 00		
Smithville Station	1	12	150	13 35		
Brunswick Circuit	10	40	330	10 00		
Onslow Circuit	1	21	152	14 00		
Total	83	499	1,319	$ 708 20	$ 57 60	$ 31 13

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
New Berne Station	1	33	290	$ 123 00	$ 35 00	$
Goldsboro Station	1	18	165	125 00		
Goldsboro Circuit	1	17	23	16 00		
Wayne Circuit	5	50	300	25 00		
Mt. Olive Circuit	7	39	350	78 84		
Kinston Station	1	18	120	100 00	9 00	
Snow Hill Circuit	3	30	225	50 00		
LaGrange Circuit	7	13	325	100 00		
Lenoir Mission	1	3	15			
Craven Circuit	5	17	150			
Jones Circuit	5	2	166			
Morehead Station	1	14	100	30 00	20 00	
Beaufort Station	1	26	175	42 61	14 49	193 00
Carteret Circuit	9	91	435	111 35		
Neuse Mission	2	14	76	16 00		
Pamlico Circuit	9	80	225	21 00		
Straits Circuit	2	21	110			
Core Sound Mission	3	25	119			
Total	67	568	3,581	$ 811 80	$ 78 49	$ 193 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Circuit	3	29	123	$ 20 00	$	$
Warren Circuit	8	48	176	31 00	19 00	
Ridgeway Circuit	5	25	225	20 00	10 10	
Roanoke Circuit	4	46	180	20 00		
Weldon and Halifax Station	3	32	115	63 05	27 15	
Halifax Circuit	5	25	212	20 00		
Scotland Neck Mission	3	12	115	25 00		
Wilson Station	1	21	160	191 00	12 50	
Wilson Mission	13	52	733	65 00	2 00	
Nashville Circuit	4	19	125		2 75	
Edgecombe Circuit	3	24	216	75 00		
Total	52	323	2,680	$ 530 05	$ 73 40	$

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station	1	16	104	$ 45 00	$ 18 25	$
Tarboro and Bethel Station	3	27	127	115 80		
South Edgecombe Circuit	3	16	112	19 20		
Williamston Circuit	5	27	190	35 00		
Greenville Station	2	21	213	235 94		
Pitt Mission	5	29	215	10 00		
Swift Creek Mission	5	20	15	4 00		
Aurora Circuit	5	9	125	5 00		
Bath Circuit	5	30	200	10 00		
Plymouth Station	1	10	63	20 00	4 50	12 00
Columbia Circuit	4	35	235	26 04		
Mattamuskeet Circuit	3	32	175	15 00		
Fairfield Station	1	16	90	23 61		
Swan Quarter Circuit	3	17	165	9 67		
Hatteras Mission	6	44	263			
Portsmouth and Ocracoke	2	18	83			
Total	54	367	2,510	$ 574 26	$ 22 65	$ 12 00

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Randolph Circuit	13	20	575	$ 100 00	$	$
Thomasville and High Point	2	40	300	100 00		
Davidson Circuit	2	38	553	49 95		
Lexington Station	1	17	106	38 68	14 71	
Abbott's Creek Mission	2	8	120	5 00		
Randleman Station	1	19	173	103 00		
Franklinsville Circuit	1	14	85	22 00		
Deep River Circuit	10	60	450	37 00		
Uwharrie Circuit	6	18	258			
Jackson Hill Circuit	7	57	369	8 30		
Montgomery Circuit	10	61	526	15 95		
Pekin Circuit	7	26	250	8 50		
Mount Gilead Circuit	6	44	355	50 00		
Total	76	422	4 112	$ 538 38	$ 14 71	$

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Raleigh	63	467	4,268	$ 703 90	$ 33 19	$
Durham	61	461	3,850	1,329 99	88 36	
Greensboro	63	520	4,074	1,061 95	71 19	150 00
Salisbury	62	474	4,579	528 03	169 60	151 73
Statesville	91	562	4,929	362 28	35 00	
Shelby	90	567	4,937	429 90	25 82	
Charlotte	56	413	3,569	653 77	201 30	
Fayetteville	65	441	3,578	585 42		19 00
Wilmington	83	499	4,319	708 20	57 60	31 13
New Berne	67	568	3,581	841 80	78 49	193 00
Warrenton	52	323	2,680	530 05	73 40	
Washington	54	367	2,510	371 26	22 65	12 00
Trinity College	76	422	4,112	538 38	14 71	
Total	886	6,084	50,983	$ 8,647 93	$ 874 31	$ 559 86
Total last year	833	5,453	45,040	8,190 46		
Increase	53	631	5,943	457 47		
Decrease						

FINANCE TABLE, NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Raleigh—Edenton Street	$ 250	$ 250	$ 1,500	$ 1,500	$ 28	$ 28	$ 130	$ 130	$ 318
Raleigh—Person St., Brooklyn and M.	80	80	700	700	7	7	25	25	160
Mission	30	30	110	336	2	2	10	10	.....
Cary Circuit	100	75	806	586	11	11	50	50	.....
Rolesville Circuit	100	92	700	640	15	15	55	23	22
Smithfield Circuit	110	100	800	710	15	15	60	10	.....
Clayton Circuit	50	42	550	412	6	6	25	11	.....
Tar River Circuit	200	200	1,000	1,000	20	20	100	85	39
Youngsville Circuit	50	42	360	382	6	6	20	13	.....
Louisburg Station	90	90	600	650	10	10	35	35	75
Oxford Station	100	100	1,000	1,000	11	11	50	31	110
Oxford Circuit	100	100	850	860	11	11	50	50	23
Henderson Station	100	100	900	900	11	11	50	50	.....
Buckhorn Circuit	100	79	700	550	10	10	50	25	.....
Earpsboro Mission	15	15	125	110	2	2	6	5	.....
Newton Grove Miss.	25	25	250	250	3	3	7	7	.....
Total	$ 1,500	$ 1,418	$ 11,245	$ 10,616	$ 171	$ 171	$ 72	$ 592	1,077

Junior Preacher—none.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station	$ 225	$ 225	$ 1,400	$ 1,400	$ 21	$ 21	$ 87	$ 93	$ 836
Durham Circuit	140	125	760	676	11	11	51	35	25
West and East End Mission	.....	.....	.....	184	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hillsboro Circuit	105	92	505	446	8	8	35	25	66
Chapel Hill	80	67	500	420	6	6	27	27	.....
Person Circuit	180	170	1,050	1,012	14	14	70	51	.....
Leasburg Circuit	200	190	1,000	953	19	19	77	75	.....
Alamance Circuit	105	105	500	515	8	8	35	35	.....
Haw River Circuit	160	161	900	905	13	14	65	66	.....
Pittsboro Circuit	160	145	900	777	13	13	65	53	4
Granville Circuit	145	132	800	716	13	10	56	40	.....
Total	$ 1,500	$ 1,412	$ 8,315	$ 8,334	$ 126	$ 124	$ 571	$ 500	931

Junior Preacher—Leasburg Circuit—Assessed, $100; Paid, $95.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Station	$ 170	$ 170	$ 1,200	$ 1,200	$ 20	$ 20	$ 85	$ 85	$ 289
Guilford Circuit	85	70	600	500	10	10	43	23	.....
East Guilford Cir.	50	50	350	350	6	6	25	25	.....
Pleasant Garden Cir	50	42	60	50	6	6	25	16	18
Winston Station	215	215	1,500	1,500	25	25	100	100	850
Forsyth Circuit	80	73	550	519	10	10	43	38	.....
Stokes Circuit	85	58	600	471	10	10	43	30	.....
Madison Circuit	88	88	700	700	10	10	46	46	.....
Ruffin Circuit	85	62	610	449	10	10	43	38	.....
Reidsville Station	108	108	750	750	12	12	50	32	.....
Yanceyville Circuit	133	85	800	486	14	14	59	23	.....
Kernersville Circuit	50	35	100	280	6	4	25	9	20
Total	$ 1,199	$ 1,056	$ 8,150	$ 7,249	$ 139	$ 137	$ 587	$ 465	1,177

Junior Preacher—Pleasant Garden Circuit—Assessed, $90; Paid, $80; Madison Circuit—Assessed, $350; Paid, $300; Yanceyville Circuit—Assessed, $350; Paid, $196. Total—Assessed, $740; Paid, $576.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Salisbury Station.....	$ 120	$ 120	$ 900	$ 900	$ 13	$ 13	$ 55	$ 55	55
Salisbury Circuit....	90	52	600	317	11	7	10	27	25
Mocksville Circuit..	115	86	700	530	12	12	52	25	.....
Rowan Circuit	60	50	500	368	7	7	30	17	.....
Farmington Circuit.	110	102	600	561	12	12	53	26	.....
Concord Station.....	105	105	800	807	10	10	14	50	131
Concord Circuit.....	80	80	530	560	8	8	36	37	.....
Mt. Pleasant Circuit	110	110	600	654	12	12	48	18	.....
Albemarle Circuit....	110	111	900	950	11	16	50	55	.....
Stanly Circuit.	80	62	525	412	8	8	31	22	.....
Big Lick Mission.....	25	25	150	150	3	3	5	5	.....
Mt. Zion Station.....	80	69	750	650	8	8	36	36	.....
Enochville Circuit...	65	65	435	331	6	6	22	18	.....
Total.....	$ 1,180	$ 1,067	$ 7,990	$ 7,220	$ 124	$ 122	$ 505	$ 421	211

Junior Preacher—none.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Station...	$ 100	$ 92	$ 1,000	$ 925	$ 9	$ 9	$ 30	$ 30	$ 50
Statesville Circuit....	100	100	650	650	9	9	34	25	.....
Mooresville Circuit..	128	87	800	547	10	8	45	20	56
Iredell Circuit	120	94	800	655	10	7	40	24	.....
Rock Spring Circuit	126	101	800	615	10	8	40	35	.....
Newton Circuit.....	66	63	500	481	5	5	20	20	.....
Catawba Circuit.....	66	16	500	349	5	5	20	10	30
Alexander Circuit....	110	79	670	512	8	8	40	25	.....
Caldwell Circuit.....	81	62	450	319	6	5	35	6	.....
Lenoir Circuit.....	101	91	800	724	8	8	45	35	.....
Wilkes Circuit	66	44	300	200	6	6	19	6	17
Roaring River Miss.	25	18	30	21	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Elkin & Jonesville...	71	39	400	218	8	7	30	10	.....
Mt Airy Station.....	71	63	500	425	6	6	30	20	.....
Mt. Airy Circuit.	56	21	252	152	6	3	20	4	.....
Dobson Circuit.....	51	26	400	210	3	2	18	3	.....
Yadkinville Circuit.	51	23	425	184	6	5	25	7	.....
Total.....	$ 1,389	$ 1,049	$ 9 277	$ 7,247	$ 115	$ 101	$ 491	$ 292	$ 133

Junior Preacher—none.

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station	$ 65	$ 65	$ 800	$ 800	$ 8	$ 8	$ 36	$ 36	$ 103
Shelby Circuit	70	61	560	188	8	8	39	20	.....
King's Mountain Ci	55	41	500	375	8	.....	31	.....	.....
Dallas Circuit.....	80	65	700	574	11	11	48	20	.....
Gaston Circuit.	70	51	600	442	9	9	45	21	.....
Mt. Island Station ..	30	26	400	352	3	3	6	6	.....
Lincolnton Circuit...	75	60	670	505	11	11	4	25	.....
South Fork Circuit..	85	79	600	551	12	12	4	50	.....
Hickory Station.....	50	15	500	454	8	8	30	25	75
Happy Home Cir	50	41	490	443	7	7	30	14	7
Morganton Circuit...	75	75	525	525	10	10	40	30	.....
Table Rock Circuit..	70	57	55	401	10	10	15	33	.....
McDowell Circuit,....	63	56	500	430	7	6	35	20	.....
Double Shoals Cir....	80	63	500	398	10	5	45	15	.....
Forest City Circuit...	50	33	400	270	6	6	33	18	.....
Rutherfordton Cir...	80	57	600	433	10	10	15	35	.....
Antioch Mission.....	15	6	185	74	3	3	8	8	.....
Columbus Mission...	.....	.....	.....	121	3	3	10	1	.....
Total.....	$ 1,063	$ 881	$ 9,080	$ 7,639	$ 141	$ 130	$ 612	$ 386	$ 185

Junior Preacher—none.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Assed.	Paid.	Assd.	Paid.	Assd.	Paid.	Assd.	Paid.	
Charlotte—Tryon Street	$ 230	$ 151	$ 1,500	$ 1,000	$ 25	$ 25	$ 100	$ 85	1,230
Charlotte—Church Street	50	15	500	465	2	2	10	1	.....
Charlotte Circuit	15	29	100	235	1	1	18	2	.....
Matthews Circuit	75	56	600	453	5	5	20	15	.....
Clear Creek Circuit	90	90	560	570	8	8	37	22	.....
Pineville Circuit	100	87	700	612	12	10	46	30	.....
Pleasant Grove Cir.	98	72	550	415	8	6	40	28	.....
Monroe Station	130	130	900	900	15	15	65	65	101
Monroe Circuit	85	78	525	483	7	7	30	10	.....
Wadesboro Station	95	87	700	615	10	10	40	40	65
Wadesboro Circuit	100	93	800	750	12	12	45	31	.....
Ansonville Circuit	100	100	750	763	12	12	45	45	.....
Lilesville Circuit	100	100	650	650	10	10	43	43	.....
Total	$ 1,298	$ 1,121	$ 9,135	$ 7,941	$ 130	$ 126	$ 539	$ 426	1,396

Junior Preacher—none.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Station	$ 150	$ 150	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 17	$ 22	$ 70	$ 70	$ 200
Campbellton Miss'n	.....	.....	.....	101	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Cumberland Circuit	75	56	550	392	8	12	30	21	.....
Lumberton Circuit	110	98	630	535	.....	.....	55	35	.....
Robeson Circuit	115	98	800	720	18	13	56	32	.....
Ashpole Mission	25	25	300	329	2	3	3	3	10
Laurinburg Circuit	110	110	890	800	13	13	56	56	.....
St. John Station	110	110	750	759	13	13	56	33	.....
Rockingham Stat'n	.....	125	1,000	920	15	15	30	30	72
Rockingham Circuit	75	70	600	566	8	10	30	21	.....
Manly Mission	35	40	365	415	2	3	5	6	.....
Carthage Circuit	115	98	700	604	10	15	40	40	29
Jonesboro Circuit	110	78	800	570	13	10	45	30	.....
Cape Fear Circuit	80	13	600	324	10	6	35	12	.....
Lillington Circuit	10	30	400	300	3	3	6	3	.....
Total	$ 1,150	$ 1,131	$ 9,265	$ 8,359	$ 128	$ 139	$ 517	$ 395	$ 311

Junior Preacher—none.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington—Front Street	$ 230	$ 230	$ 1,800	$ 1,800	$ 20	$ 15	$ 100	$ 71	$ .....
Wilmington—Fifth Street	100	100	1,000	1,000	10	10	30	30	160
Topsail Circuit	90	56	510	326	10	5	15	25	.....
Duplin Circuit	105	79	725	558	12	10	.....	.....	.....
Magnolia Circuit	50	36	400	335	6	1	25	11	.....
Clinton Circuit	135	135	800	860	14	10	60	25	.....
Cokesbury Circuit	100	61	585	361	12	12	55	19	.....
Bladen Circuit	80	80	575	561	12	12	55	27	.....
Elizabeth Circuit	105	72	700	504	12	10	55	40	.....
Whiteville Circuit	50	41	350	278	6	6	25	10	.....
Carver's Creek Cir.	50	50	500	500	6	6	.....	.....	.....
Waccamaw Circuit	30	18	350	200	5	4	10	1	.....
Smithville Station	52	52	400	170	6	6	25	25	70
Brunswick Cir.	62	62	350	350	6	6	25	11	.....
Onslow Circuit	60	35	315	188	6	5	25	12	.....
Total	$ 1,299	$ 1,110	$ 9,360	$ 8,291	$ 143	$ 118	$ 535	$ 307	$ 530

Junior Preacher—Clinton Circuit—Assessed, $300; Paid, $300.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	PRESIDING ELDER. Ass'd.	PRESIDING ELDER. Paid.	PREACHER IN CHARGE. Ass'd.	PREACHER IN CHARGE. Paid.	BISHOPS. Ass'd.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CL'M'NTS. Ass'd.	CONF. CL'M'NTS. Paid.	Other Objects.
New Berne Station	$ 170	$ 170	$ 1,200	$ 1,200	$ 16	$ 16	$ 80	$ 80	$ 18
Goldsboro' Station	173	173	1,200	1,200	21	21	89	89	300
Goldsboro Circuit	60	55	400	366	7	7	30	16	.....
Wayne Circuit	108	88	756	616	13	13	56	56	.....
Mt. Olive Circuit	104	90	700	630	12	12	52	20	.....
Kinston Station	140	100	708	709	10	10	52	27	.....
Snow Hill Circuit	125	107	800	756	11	11	60	37	.....
LaGrange Circuit	72	72	500	500	9	9	37	17	.....
Lenoir Mission	.....	.....	125	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Craven Circuit	72	72	500	500	9	9	37	20	.....
Jones Circuit	101	54	709	376	12	4	52	21	.....
Morehead Station	65	65	150	450	7	7	3	35	.....
Beaufort Station	100	100	700	700	12	11	52	46	92
Carteret Circuit	60	51	400	346	7	7	30	21	.....
Neuse Mission	.....	.....	125	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pamlico Circuit	72	50	500	321	9	9	37	6	.....
Straits Circuit	38	37	265	265	4	4	18	5	1
Core Sound Mission	6	6	100	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Total	$ 1,417	$ 1,296	$ 1,0125	$ 9,157	$ 162	$ 153	$ 717	$ 499	446

Junior Preacher—none.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Circuit	$ 130	$ 75	$ 900	$ 535	$ 11	$ 11	$ 60	$ 10	.....
Warren Circuit	139	139	900	900	14	12	59	26	.....
Ridgeway Circuit	139	123	900	800	14	14	59	59	.....
Roanoke Circuit	93	72	600	486	9	9	39	39	.....
Weldon and Halifax	83	83	535	535	8	8	35	35	115
Halifax Circuit	93	51	600	316	9	6	38	22	.....
Scotland Neck Miss.	51	18	350	262	5	4	21	.....	15
Wilson Station	186	172	1,350	1,250	18	18	78	64	.....
Wilson Mission	77	20	500	273	8	4	38	7	.....
Nashville Circuit	77	35	500	233	8	4	33	.....	.....
Edgecombe Cir.	120	109	790	716	11	8	50	40	.....
Total	$ 1,191	$ 930	$ 7,925	$ 6,336	$ 118	$ 98	$ 570	$ 302	$ 158

Junior Preacher—none.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station	$ 125	$ 125	$ 700	$ 707	$ 11	$ 11	$ 56	$ 45	$ .....
Tarboro and Bethel	120	121	900	900	12	12	55	50	130
South Edgecombe	130	94	900	656	12	10	57	40	23
Williamston Circuit	100	100	600	600	9	8	44	12	.....
Greenville Station	100	100	600	600	10	10	44	14	100
Pitt Mission	50	40	300	300	4	4	22	6	.....
Swift Creek Mission	25	15	200	107	4	2	5	5	.....
Aurora Circuit	66	66	500	453	7	7	30	10	.....
Bath Circuit	66	36	310	252	7	7	30	4	.....
Plymouth Station	85	85	500	500	10	10	37	37	60
Columbia Circuit	100	56	400	286	10	8	45	11	.....
Mattamuskeet Cir.	115	91	700	572	12	12	51	12	.....
Fairfield Station	75	75	400	100	6	6	27	10	.....
Swan Quarter Cir.	75	50	550	311	7	7	30	15	.....
Hatteras Mission	25	27	500	500	5	5	6	6	.....
Portsmouth and Ocracoke	10	10	120	69	2	2	.....	.....	.....
Total	$ 1,267	$ 1,091	$ 8,180	$ 7,213	$ 128	$ 121	$ 539	$ 307	$ 313

Junior Preacher—none.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Randolph Circuit	$ 135	$ 116	$ 900	$ 776	$ 15	$ 15	$ 60	$ 40	.....
Thomasville and High Point	85	71	655	558	8	8	40	28	.....
Davidson Circuit	110	110	750	750	12	12	50	30	100
Lexington Station	65	65	500	500	6	6	28	28	1
Abbott's Creek Miss	20	6	150	45	1	1	8	.....	.....
Randleman Station	110	110	800	800	11	11	30	30	.....
Franklinville Cir	80	71	350	326	7	7	30	20	.....
Deep River Circuit	120	95	630	500	11	10	51	35	.....
Cwharrie Circuit	65	63	500	186	7	7	35	31	.....
Jackson's Hill Cir	60	50	240	200	6	6	25	20	.....
Montgomery Cir	80	63	500	386	7	7	30	18	.....
Pekin Circuit	80	72	450	401	8	8	35	25	.....
Mt. Gilead Circuit	110	131	820	766	13	13	60	17	.....
Total	$ 1,150	$ 1,026	$ 7,245	$ 6,197	$ 112	$ 111	$ 482	$ 352	104

Junior Preacher—none.

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Raleigh	$ 1,500	$ 1,418	$ 11,245	$ 10,646	$ 171	$ 171	$ 723	$ 592	1,077
Durham	1,500	1,412	8,315	8,334	126	121	571	500	931
Greensboro	1,199	1,056	8,150	7,249	139	137	587	465	1,477
Salisbury	1,180	1,067	7,990	7,220	124	122	505	421	211
Statesville	1,389	1,019	9 277	7,247	115	101	49	292	133
Shelby	1,063	881	9,080	7,639	141	130	612	386	185
Charlotte	1,298	1,121	9,135	7,941	130	126	539	426	1,396
Fayetteville	1,150	1,131	9,465	8,356	128	139	517	395	311
Wilmington	1,299	1,110	9,360	8,291	143	118	535	307	530
New Berne	1,415	1,296	10,125	9,157	162	153	717	499	146
Warrenton	1,191	930	7,925	6,336	118	98	570	302	158
Washington	1,267	1,091	8,180	7,243	128	121	539	307	313
Trinity College	1,150	1,026	7,245	6,197	112	111	482	352	104
Total	$ 16,601	$ 14,591	$ 115,292	$ 102,126	$ 1,740	$ 1,651	$ 7,388	$ 5,244	6,972
Total last year	16,525	14,495	111,243	98,581	1,718	1,692	7,368	5,235	.....
Increase	78	96	4,049	3,545	.....	.....	20	9	.....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	41	.....	.....	.....

Junior Preacher—Durham—Assessed, 100; Paid 95; Greensboro—Assessed, 740; Paid, 576; Wilmington—Assessed, 300; Paid, 300 Total—Assessed, $1,140; Paid, $971.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING—MISSIONARY BOARD.

SATURDAY EVENING, December 4th, 1886.

The Missionary Board of the North Carolina Annual Conference held its anniversary meeting at the Methodist Church, Reidsville, N. C., this evening, Rev. F. D. SWINDELL, President, in the chair. Opening services were conducted by Rev. M. L. WOOD, D. D., former Missionary to China.

The following reports were submitted and handed subsequently to the Secretary of the Conference for publication:

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS, READ AT THE ANNIVERSARY IN REIDSVILLE.

In reviewing the Domestic Missionary work of the year, we are constrained to an expression of profound gratitude to Almighty God, for the success with which He has crowned the labors of the missionaries.

Never since the connection of this Board with the work has there been such gratifying progress. Both in material and spiritual interests has there been a decided advance.

Many new churches have been built and old ones repaired. The people have become more interested in our work among them, and are drawing toward us. If we could see the way to enlarge our field, because of an increased liberality on the part of the church, we could accomplish much greater results. The Board feels sure that we are not gaining as we might in this important branch of our work.

The greatest progress, during the year, has been at Durham. One year ago a mission was organized there with a liberal appropriation. Now out of it we have an excellent church, Main street, which will be self-supporting, and Carr's church which it is thought by help from the Board for one year will also be self-sustaining. Both of these have good church buildings. Of the others—Brooklyn and Macedonia, Manly, Big Lick and Campbellton have made decided progress, and we expect with a little assistance this year will become good, self-supporting charges.

Hatteras mission has been advanced to a circuit. We trust that the time is not far distant, when the great heart of the church will beat in harmony with our home mission work, and give liberally of their means to help win others to Christ, out of love to Him who gave himself for them.

J. E. BRISTOWE, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF BOARD.

R. R. CRAWFORD, *Treasurer,*
In account with Domestic Mission Fund, N. C. Conference:

1886		Dr.		
	Raleigh District	$ 491 50		
	Durham "	332 25		
	Greensboro "	404 54		
	Trinity College "	305 57		
	Salisbury "	340 96		
	Statesville "	304 20		
	Shelby "	325 90		
	Charlotte "	337 61		
	Fayetteville "	358 12		
	Wilmington "	276 90		
	New Berne "	428 00		
	Warrenton "	256 25		
	Washington "	277 17		
			$4,444 97	
	Anniversary Collection		96 59	
	Balance from 1885		144 07	
1886.		Cr.		$4,685 63
Dec. 6.	By cash Swift Creek Mission	238 00		
	" Earpsboro "	272 00		
	" Manly "	136 00		
	" Wilson "	272 00		
	" Antioch "	238 00		
	" Brooklyn and Macedonia Mission	204 00		
	" Big Lick Mission	222 00		
	" Durham "	408 00		
	" Ashpole "	170 00		
	" Pitt "	136 00		
	" Lenoir "	136 00		
	" Campbellton "	204 00		
	" Portsmouth and Ocracoke Mission	130 00		
	" Roaring River Mission	238 00		
	" Scotland Neck "	204 00		
	" Columbus "	272 00		
	" Abbott's Creek "	204 00		
	" Core Sound "	272 00		
	" Neuse "	136 00		
	" Newton Grove "	272 00		
	" Hatteras "	136 00		
	Balance	179 63		
				4,685 63

R. R. CRAWFORD, *Treasurer*,

In account with Foreign Mission Fund, N. C. Conference:

1886.	DR.			
	Raleigh District	$1,217 86		
	Durham "	840 81		
	Greensboro "	1,122 16		
	Trinity College "	916 55		
	Salisbury "	914 40		
	Statesville "	796 25		
	Shelby "	755 77		
	Charlotte "	843 47		
	Fayetteville "	844 91		
	Wilmington "	616 23		
	New Berne "	951 70		
	Warrenton "	467 10		
	Washington "	535 77		
			$10,822 98	
	Anniversary Collection		96 59	
	G. W. Simmons		5 00	
	W. R. Ware		10 00	
	S. K. McDonald		50	
	W. J. Gay		5 00	
	V. A. Sharpe		5 00	
	J. F. Washburn		5 00	
1886.	CR.		$10,950 07	
	By cash D. C. Kelley	$ 15 50		
Dec. 1.	By cash receipts from Pastors for amounts forwarded Dr. Kelley	3,544 50		
Dec. 4.	By checks to Dr. D. C. Kelley	1,211 78		
6.	" " "	3,500 00		
8.	" " "	2,622 04		
	By stamps and book	1 25		
	" stationary and receipt-books	3 25		
	" exchange	3 00		
	" check to D. C. Kelley	48 75		
			$10,950 07	

The President, by request, read the report of the Society of Bright Jewels, also the reports of Secretary and Treasurer of the Conference Woman's Missionary Society.

Addresses were made by Rev. W. W. ROYALL and Bishop GRANBERY. Owing to the inclemency of the weather it was announced that the collection would be postponed until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. On Sunday morning a collection was taken, amounting to $193.

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF THE CONFERENCE.

* 1	Miles Foy	1829	Lynchburg, Virginia.
* 2	Thomas S. Campbell	1831	New Berne, N. C.
* 3	Daniel Culbreth	1831	New Berne, N. C.
* 4	William W. Albea	1833	Petersburg, Virginia.
5	Robert O. Burton	1833	Petersburg, Virginia.
* 6	Willis S. Haltom	1834	Charleston, S. C.
7	Joseph H. Wheeler	1834	Charleston, S. C.
* 8	Gaston Farrar	1836	Macon, Georgia.
* 9	Thomas L. Hoyle	1837	Baltimore, Maryland.
*10	John Tillett	1839	Salisbury, N. C.
11	Washington S. Chaffin	1840	Mocksville, N. C.
12	Nathan A. Hooker	1840	Mocksville, N. C.
13	T. Page Ricaud	1841	Norfolk, Virginia.
14	Solomon H. Helsabeck	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.
15	Nathan H. D. Wilson	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.
*16	Thomas C. Moses	1844	Pittsboro, N. C.
*17	Thomas B. Reeks	1844	Pittsboro, N. C.
18	Joseph B. Martin	1845	Washington, N. C.
19	William H. Bobbitt	1846	New Berne, N. C.
20	Lingurn S. Burkhead	1849	Oxford, N. C.
21	Paul J. Carraway	1849	Oxford, N. C.
*22	John W. North	1849	Camden, S. C.
23	Zebedee Rush	1849	Oxford, N. C.
*24	Henry H. Gibbons	1850	Warrenton, N. C.
25	George W. Ivey	1850	Wadesboro, N. C.
*26	Daniel May	1850	Wadesboro, N. C.
27	Thomas W. Guthrie	1851	Salisbury, N. C.
*28	Hilary T. Hudson	1851	Salisbury, N. C.
29	Shockley D. Adams	1852	Louisburg, N. C.
*30	Charles M. Anderson	1852	Louisburg, N. C.
31	Clarendon M. Pepper	1852	Louisburg, N. C.
*32	Isaac W. Avent	1853	Raleigh, N. C.
33	James E. Mann	1853	Raleigh, N. C.
34	Isaac F. Keerans	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.
35	Caswell W. King	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.
36	Jesse S. Nelson	1854	Charleston, S. C.
37	Simeon D. Peeler	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.
*38	John W. Puett	1855	Marion, S. C.
39	William S. Black	1855	Marion, S. C.
40	James B. Bobbitt	1855	Wilmington, N. C.

41 Jesse A. Cuninggim ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
42 Moses J. Hunt ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
*43 Marcus C. Thomas ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
44 Joseph C. Thomas ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
45 Thomas L. Triplett ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
46 James W. Wheeler ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
47 Joseph Wheeler ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
48 Marquis L. Wood ..... 1855 ..... Wilmington, N. C.
49 Robert G. Barrett ..... 1856 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
50 James B. Bailey ..... 1856 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
51 Alexander D. Betts ..... 1856 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
52 William C. Gannon ..... 1856 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
53 Samuel V. Hoyle ..... 1856 ..... Lynchburg, Virginia.
54 Adolphus W. Mangum ..... 1856 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
*55 George E. Wyche ..... 1856 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
56 David R. Bruton ..... 1857 ..... Goldsboro, N. C.
57 VanBuren A. Sharpe ..... 1857 ..... Charlotte, N. C.
58 G. W. Callahan ..... 1857 ..... Marion, Virginia.
59 John R. Brooks ..... 1858 ..... New Berne, N. C.
60 John W. Jenkins ..... 1858 ..... New Berne, N. C.
61 Robert A. Willis ..... 1858 ..... New Berne, N. C.
62 Bernice B. Culbreth ..... 1859 ..... Beaufort, N. C.
*63 Thomas H. Edwards ..... 1859 ..... Greenville, S. C.
64 Peter L. Herman ..... 1859 ..... Greenville, S. C.
65 R. T. N. Stephenson ..... 1859 ..... Beaufort, N. C.
66 Richard S. Webb ..... 1859 ..... Beaufort, N. C.
67 Franklin H. Wood ..... 1859 ..... Beaufort, N. C.
68 James D. Carpenter ..... 1860 ..... Columbia, S. C.
69 Thomas J. Gattis ..... 1860 ..... Salisbury, N. C.
70 William H. Moore ..... 1860 ..... Salisbury, N. C.
71 Wesley M. Robey ..... 1860 ..... Salisbury, N. C.
72 Alexander R. Raven ..... 1860 ..... Salisbury, N. C.
73 Edwin A. Yates ..... 1860 ..... Salisbury, N. C.
74 John D. Buie ..... 1862 ..... Raleigh, N. C.
75 John C. Hartsell ..... 1862 ..... Spartanburg, S. C.
76 Thomas A. Boone ..... 1863 ..... Sumter, S. C.
77 George F. Round ..... 1863 ..... Sumter, S. C.
78 Martin V. Sherrill ..... 1863 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
79 William C. Willson ..... 1863 ..... Greensboro, N. C.
*80 J. C. Crisp ..... 1864 ..... Newberry, S. C.
81 John E. Thompson ..... 1865 ..... Raleigh, N, C.
82 Joseph R. Griffith ..... 1866 ..... Marion, S. C.
*83 William H. Call ..... 1867 ..... Wilmington, N. C
*84 Squire M. Davis ..... 1867 ..... Morganton, N. C.
85 Maxwell H. Hoyle ..... 1867 ..... Morganton, N. C.

86	Leonidas W. Crawford	1865	Statesville, N. C.
87	John F. Heitman	1869	New Berne, N. C.
*88	Edward Howland	1869	New Berne, N. C.
89	Joseph J. Renn	1869	New Berne, N. C.
* 90	Joseph F. England	1869	Cheraw, S. C.
91	A. Gamewell Gantt	1869	Cheraw, S. C.
92	Junius T. Harris	1870	Greensboro, N. C.
93	Frank L. Reid	1870	Greensboro, N. C.
94	James Willson	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
95	Robah F. Bumpass	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
96	Frederick D. Swindell	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
97	Philip Greening	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
*98	Thomas W. Smith	1871	Spartanburg, S. C.
99	William C. Norman	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.
100	Jonathan Sanford	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.
101	Lucian J. Holden	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
102	Lucius E. Stacy	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
103	P. F. W. Stamey	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
104	James R. Scroggs	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
105	Christie A. Gault	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
106	Marcus W. Boyles	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
107	James M. Lumley	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
108	Nathaniel M. Jurney	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
109	Jeremiah F. Craven	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
110	William S. Rone	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
111	John T. Gibbs	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
*112	James W. Randall	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
113	Leonidas L. Nash	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
114	James M. Rhodes	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
115	Benjamin R. Hall	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
116	Jonathan B. Carpenter	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
117	Franklin A. Bishop	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
118	Walter S. Creasy	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
119	William B. Doub	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
*120	Elisha J. Eudaily	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
121	James T. Lyon	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
122	George W. Hardison	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
123	Thomas H. Pegram	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
124	Nereus E. Coltrane	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
125	Joseph C. Rowe	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
126	Pinckney L. Groome	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
127	James H. Cordon	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
128	Charles M. Gentry	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
129	Rufus C. Beaman	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
130	Andrew P. Tyer	1877	Salisbury, N. C.

131	Thomas J. Browning	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
132d	Luolphus E. Thompson	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
133	Daniel L. Earnhardt	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
*134	James E. Bristowe	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
135	Matthew H. Moore	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
136	John N. Cole	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
137	James O. Guthrie	1879	Wilson, N. C.
138	J. Edwin Thompson	1879	Wilson, N. C.
139	Colin G. Little	1879	Wilson, N. C.
140	Frank L. Townsend	1879	Wilson, N. C.
141	Francis B. McCall	1879	Wilson, N. C.
142	William L. Cuninggim	1879	Wilson, N. C.
143	William S. Hales	1879	Wilson, N. C.
144	Thomas A. Stone	1879	Wilson, N. C.
145	John T. Finlayson	1879	Wilson, N. C.
146	Joseph D. Arnold	1879	Wilson, N. C.
147	Daniel A. Watkins	1879	Wilson, N. C.
148	John W. Jones	1880	Winston, N. C.
149	Robert L. Warlick	1880	Winston, N. C.
150	William B. North	1880	Winston, N. C.
151	James T. Kendall	1880	Winston, N. C.
152	Walter T. Cutchin	1880	Winston, N. C.
153	Jesse H. Page	1881	Durham, N. C.
154	A. M. Lowe	1881	Durham, N. C.
*155	Zachary T. Harrison	1881	Durham, N. C.
156	Leroy L. Johnson	1881	Durham, N. C.
157	James F. Washburn	1881	Durham, N. C.
158	Charles P. Snow	1881	Durham, N. C.
159	Robert M. Hoyle	1881	Durham, N. C.
160	William L. Grissom	1881	Durham, N. C.
*161	Joseph L. Keen	1881	Durham, N. C.
162	John T. Abernethy	1881	Durham, N. C.
163	Edward L. Pell	1881	Durham, N. C.
*164	William J. Crowson	1881	Durham, N. C.
165	George A. Oglesby	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
166	James E. Gay	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
167	John H. Hall	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
168	Clayter W. Smith	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
169	Charles O. Durant	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
170	Lawrence O. Wyche	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
171	Barna B. Holder	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
172	Isaac A. White	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
173	Enoch L. Stamey	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
174	Alpheus McCullen	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
175	Charles W. Byrd	1882	Raleigh, N. C.

176	Jacob A. Lee	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
177	Marcus D. Giles	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
178	Thomas S. Ellington	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
179	Barzilia C. Allred	1883	Statesville, N. C.
180	James A. Bowles	1883	Statesville, N. C.
181	Robert P. Troy	1883	Statesville, N. C.
182	John E. Underwood	1883	Statesville, N. C.
183	James M. Ashby	1883	Statesville, N. C.
184	Daniel H. Tuttle	1883	Statesville, N. C.
185	Charles C. Brothers	1883	Statesville, N. C.
186	Hugh M. Blair	1883	Statesville, N. C.
187	John B. Hurley	1883	Statesville, N. C.
188	Roderick B. John	1883	Statesville, N. C.
189	Frank M. Shamberger	1883	Statesville, N. C.
190	Marshall A. Smith	1883	Statesville, N. C.
191	Thomas J. Daily	1883	Statesville, N. C.
192	Wesley M. Bagby	1883	Statesville, N. C.
193	John E. Woosley	1883	Statesville, N. C.
194	Alpheus E. Wiley	1883	Statesville, N. C.
195	Oliver Ryder	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
196	William R. Ware	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
197	Miles M. McFarland	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
198	John J. Grigg	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
199	John A. Hornaday	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
200	Condor P. Jerome	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
201	William F. Coffin	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
202	Duncan A. Futrell	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
203	Joseph G. Nelson	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
204	James R. Betts	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
205	William W. Rose	1884	Wilmington, N. C.

*Not present during Conference.

ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES.

Raleigh District—Donald W. Bain, Arthur Arrington, Millard Mial (alternate for James A. Stallings), Richard H. Whitaker.

Durham District—W. F. Stroud, James H. Southgate, A. G. Headen, John A. Waller.

Greensboro District—C. B. Watson, J. C. Pinnix, *D. E. Field, E. E. Gray (alternate in place of C. H. Ireland).

Salisbury District—M. L. Holmes, *Eli Lentz, W. T. Tucker, A. L. Coburn.

Statesville District—G. W. Sparger, J. B. Connelly, *P. G. Moore, *Francis Miller.

Shelby District—*D. M. Thompson, *Lemuel J. Hoyle, *J. T. Johnson, J. S. Martin.

Charlotte District—J. M. Dunlap, W. J. Boylin, J. A. Ardrey, J. H. Winchester.

Fayetteville District—K. H. Worthy, H. C. Wall (alternate in place of F. B. Gibson, R. D. Phillips, *A. F. Page.

Wilmington District—A. J. Johnson, W. J. Parker, W. M. Parker (alternate in place of W. S. Dosher), D. C. Geddie (alternate in place of J. C. Davis).

New Berne District—T. A. Green, *W. A. Darden, A. C. Davis, J. W. Grainger.

Warrenton District—*N. P. Boddie, John F. Bruton, *John K. Wheeler, G. T. Simmons.

Washington District—E. C. Glenn, *T. H. Gatlin, *M. J. Norman, William Lowe (alternate in place of J. M. Benson).

Trinity College District—F. E. Asbury, C. F. Siler, W. A. Woolen, J. R. Evans (alternate in place of R. H. Skeen).

ADDRESS OF MINISTERS—ALPHABETICAL ROLL.

Abernethy, J. T.....Mt. Olive
Adams, S. D., P. E.....Carthage
Albea, W. W.....Winston
Allred, B. C.....Clayton
Anderson, C. M.....Morganton
Anderson, H. B.....Jackson Hill
Arnold, J. D.....Henderson
Ashby, J. M.....Smithville
Avent, I. W.....Chalk Level
Bagby, W. M.....Statesville
Bailey, J. B.....Lincolnton
Barrett, R. G.....Kernersville
Beaman, R. C.....Fremont
Becton, S. F.....Harlowe Creek
Best, M. T.....Roxboro
Betts, A. D.....Nashville
Betts, J. R.....Mountain Island
Bishop, F. A.....Greenville
Black, W. S., P. E.....Raleigh
Blair, H. M.....Smith Grove
Bobbitt, J. B.....Goldsboro
Bobbitt, W. H., P. E.....Salisbury
Bonner, T. P.....Scotland Neck
Boone, T. A.....Denver
Bowles, J. A.....Summerfield
Boyles, M. W.....Mt. Gilead
Bristowe, J. E.....Hickory
Brooks, J. R.....Goldsboro
Brothers, C. C.....Hatteras
Browning, T. J.....Whiteville
Bruton, D. R.....Reidsville
Bumpass, R. F.....Randleman
Burkhead, L. S.....Winston
Burton, R. O.....Weldon
Buie, J. D.....Yanceyville
Butt, J. F.....(supply) Raleigh
Byrd, C. W.....Salisbury
Call, W. H.....Washington
Callahan, G. W.....Morganton
Campbell, T. S.....Lexington
Carpenter, J. B.....Connelly Springs
Carpenter, J. D., Mount Vernon Sp'gs
Carraway, P. J., P. E.....Charlotte
Chaffin, W. S.....Jonesboro
Coffin, W. F.....Charlotte
Cole, J. N.....Ridgeway
Coltrane, N. E.....Oxford
Cordon, J. H.....Wilson
Craven, J. F.....Trap Hill
Crawford, L. W.....New Berne
Creasy, W. S.....Durham
Crisp, J. C.....Ashton
Crowson, W. J.....Cove
Culbreth, B. B.....Tosnot
Culbreth, Daniel.....Raleigh
Cunnggim, J. A., P. E., Greensboro
Cuninggim, W. L.....Oxford
Cutchin, W. T.....Williamston
Daily, T. J.....Lenoir
Davis, E. H.....Leasburg
Davis, S. M.....Shelby
Davis, Wm. S.....Durham
Doub, W. B.....Carthage
Douglas, S. P.....(supply) Mount Airy
Downum, J. M.....Whiteville
Durant, C. O.....Capel's Mills
Earnhardt, D. L.....Keeversville
Edwards, T. H.....Mill Springs
Ellington, T. S.....Monroe
England, J. F.....Fallston
Eudaily, E. J.....Wilkesboro
Eure, H. M.....Supply
Farrar, Gaston.....Carbonton
Finlayson, J. T.....Lumberton
Fisher, G. W.....China Grove
Forbes, W. A.....Magnolia
Foy, Miles.....Mount Airy
Futrell, D. A.....Elkin
Gannon, W. C.....Monroe
Gantt, A. G.....Kenansville
Gattis, T. J.....Tarboro
Gault, C. A.....Taylorsville
Gay, J. E.....Lexington
Geddie, D. C.....Trinity College
Gentry, C. M.....Newton
Gibbons, H. H.....Mt. Olive
Gibbs, J. T.....Fayetteville
Giles, M. D.....Table Rock
Gilliam, R. B.....Greenville
Godwin, C. W.....Wilmington
Greene, J. A.....Big Lick
Greening, Philip.....Rolesville
Gregson, Amos.....Durham
Griffith, J. R.....Chapel Hill
Grigg, J. J.....Fayetteville
Grissom, W. L.....Concord
Groome, P. L.....Greensboro
Guthrie, J. O.....Lake Landing
Guthrie, T. W., P. E.....Rockingham
Guyton, N. H.....Banyan
Hales, W. S.....Cumberland
Hall, B. R.....Chapel Hill
Hall, J. H.....Durham
Haltom, W. S.....Charlotte

Hardison, G. W ..... Lilesville
Harris, J. T., P. E ..... Goldsboro
Harrison, Z. T ..... Swan Quarter
Hartsell, J. C ..... Stanley's Creek
Heitman, J. F ..... Trinity College
Helsabeck, S. H ..... Five Forks
Herman, P. L ..... Snow Hill
Hightower, W. O ..... Jonesboro
Holden, L. J ..... Littleton
Holder, B. B ..... Stanhope
Hooker, N. A ..... Kinston
Hoover, E. D ..... Straits
Hornaday, J. A ..... Maxton
Howland, Edward ..... Cary
Hoyle, M. H ..... Roxboro
Hoyle, R. M ..... Lexington
Hoyle, S. V ..... Thomasville
Hoyle, T. L ..... Ayersville
Hudson, H. T ..... Shelby
Hunt, M. J ..... Lewisville
Hurley, John B ..... Mt. Airy
Ivey, G. W ..... Olin
Ivey, T. N ..... Mooresville
Jenkins, J. W ..... Franklinton
Jerome, C. P ..... Cypress Creek
John, R. B ..... Raleigh
Johnson, L. L ..... Company Shops
Johnston, J. G .....
Jones, J. W ..... Beaufort
Jurney, N. M ..... Kinston
Keen, J. L ..... Scott's Hill
Keerans, I. F ..... Sawyersville
Kendall, J. T ..... Clinton
King, C. W ..... Pleasant Garden
Lee, J. A ..... Matthews
Little, C. G ..... Walnut Cove
Lovin, T. C ..... Moravian Falls
Lowe, A. M ..... Forest City
Lowe, William ..... Columbia
Lumly, J. M ..... Gastonia
Lyon, J. T ..... Laurinburg
Mangum, A. W ..... Chapel Hill
Mann, J. F ..... Greensboro
Martin, J. B ..... Chapel Hill
May, Daniel ..... Elizabethtown
McCall, F. B ..... Clear Creek
McCullen, Alpheus ..... Louisburg
McFarland, M. M ..... Pleasant Garden
Moore, M. H ..... Ansonville
Moore, W. H., P. E ..... Washington
Moses, T. C ..... Beaumont
Nash, L. L ..... Leasburg
Needham, Z. J ..... Clinton
Nelson, J. G ..... Cedar Grove
Nelson, J. S., P. E ..... Littleton
Norman, W. C ..... Raleigh
North, J. W ..... Davidson College
North, W. B ..... Warrenton
Oglesby, G. A ..... Mount Pleasant
Page, J. H ..... Rockingham
Paris, Zadok ..... Charlotte
Peeler, S. D ..... Kernersville
Pegram, J. D ..... Chalk Level
Pegram, T. H ..... Winston
Pegram, J. Y., (sup.) Mackey's Ferry
Pell, E. L ..... Fairfield
Pepper, C. M ..... Mount Gilead
Perry, G. B ..... Lassiter's Mills
Pool, Solomon ..... Smithfield
Pool, J. M ..... Otter Creek
Pope, Erskine ..... Godwin's
Puckett, W. H ..... Newport
Puett, J. W ..... Dallas
Randall, J. W ..... Miconopy, Fla
Raven, A. R ..... Rocky Mount
Reeks, T. B ..... Enfield
Reid, F. L ..... Raleigh
Renn, J. J ..... Franklinton
Rhodes, J. M ..... Henderson
Ricaud, T. P ..... Weldon
Robey, W. M ..... Goldsboro
Robinson, C. W ..... Yanceyville
Rone, W. S ..... Statesville
Rose, W. W ..... LaGrange
Round, G. F ..... Ruffin
Rowe, J. C ..... Albemarle
Rush, Zebedee ..... Albemarle
Ryder, Oliver ..... Siler City
Sanford, Jonathan ..... Leesville
Scroggs, J. R ..... Shelby
Shamberger, F. M ..... Plymouth
Sharpe, V. E., P. E ..... Thomasville
Sherrill, M. V ..... Catawba
Smith, C. W ..... Enochsville
Smith, G. F ..... Greensboro
Smith, M. A ..... Blue's Crossing
Smith, T. W ..... Concord
Snow, C. P ..... Yadkinville
Soon, C. J., mission'y, Quinsan, China
Stacy, L. E ..... Gibson's Station
Stamey, P. F. W ..... Reidsville
Stamey, E. L ..... Morehead
Steele, M. T ..... Rutherford College
Stephenson, R. T. N ..... Pittsboro
Stone, T. A ..... Mocksville
Swindell, F. D ..... Charlotte
Tart, J. H ..... Fair Bluff
Tate, D. P ..... Ocracoke
Taylor, R. M ..... Lovelady
Thomas, J. C ..... Franklinsville
Thomas, M. C ..... Apex
Thompson, John E ..... Chalk Level
Thompson, J. Edwin ..... Wadesboro
Thompson, L. E ..... Mooresville
Tillett, John ..... Thomasville
Townsend, F. L ..... Rockingham
Townsend, W. H., King's Mountain
Townsend, R. W ..... Fayetteville

Triplett, T. L.....Morganton
Troy, R. P.....Madison
Tuttle, D. H.....Wilmington
Tyer, A. P.....Pineville
Underwood, J. E.....Tally Ho
Ware, W. R.....Washington
Warlick, R. L.....Council Station
Washburn, J. F.....Trenton
Watkins, D. A.....Rutherfordton
Webb, R. S.....Wadesboro
Wheeler, Jas. W.....King's Mountain
Wheeler, Joseph.....Concord
Wheeler, Joseph H., Charleston, S.C
White, I. A.....Blocker's
Wiley, A. E.....Winchester
Willis, R. A., P. E.....Statesville
Willson, James.....Statesville
Wilson, N. H. D., P. E., Greensboro
Willson, W. C.....Mocksville
Wood, F. H.....Trinity College
Wood, M. L., P. E.....Shelby
Woosley, J. E.....Troy
Wyche, G. E.....Raleigh
Wyche, L. O.....Aurora
Yates, E. A.....Wilmington
York, B. A.....Dobson

IN MEMORIAM.

THE DEAD OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

Names.	Birth.		Joined Conference.		Death.	
	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.
B. R. Newcomb		Virginia	1834	Raleigh	1837	Florida.
Robert E. Watkins					1838	
W. S. Johnson		Virginia	1837	Virginia	1841	
J. W. Jackson			1838		1842	Wake county, N. C.
Chapel Featherston			1836	Virginia	1843	
Henry Speck	1802				1844	Lexington, N. C.
John T. Brame			1839	Salisbury, N. C	1845	
William W. Turner	1812	Virginia	1838	North Carolina	1846	Virginia.
William Compton		England	1809	Virginia	1847	Oxford, N. C.
Jas. W. Jeter	1819	Virginia	1841	Virginia	1847	North Carolina.
Thomas R. Brame	1796	Virginia	1820	Virginia	1848	Granville, N. C.
John A. Miller	1797	Virginia	1827	Virginia	1849	North Carolina.
Thomas S. Cassodey	1817	Virginia	1846	North Carolina	1850	North Carolina.
Alsa H. Tucker		North Carolina	1839	Salisbury, N. C	1850	Wake county, N. C.
Jas. L. Nicholson	1814	Iredell county, N. C	1834	Raleigh, N. C	1852	North Carolina.
John W. Wilson	1825	Chatham county, N. C	1847	Greensboro, N. C	1852	Chapel Hill, N. C.
Sidney D. Bumpass		Orange county, N. C	1836	Virginia	1852	Salisbury, N. C.
Hezekiah G. Leigh	1795	Perquimans county, N.C.	1818	Virginia	1853	Virginia.
E. E. Freeman	1820	Granville county, N. C	1843	Halifax C. H., Va	1854	Virginia.
Joseph Goodman	1801	Fluvanna county, Va	1828	Virginia	1856	Virginia.
Jas. M. Westbrooks	1827	North Carolina	1851	North Carolina	1856	Guilford county, N. C
J. W. Parks	1818	Surry county, N. C	1846	North Carolina	1856	Beaufort, N. C.
William W. Nesbit	1812	Catawba county, N. C	1840	North Carolina	1856	Patrick county, Va.

THE DEAD OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.—Continued.

Names.	Birth.		Joined Conference.		Death.	
	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.
Malcolm L. Douglas		Richmond county, N. C.	1853	North Carolina	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
James Purvis	1800	Bertie county, N. C.	1831	New Berne, N. C.	1857	Wilkesboro, N. C.
Thomas Jones	1802	North Carolina	1831	New Berne, N. C.	1857	Davidson county, N. C.
Arthur F. Harris	1818	Montgomery Co., N. C.	1852	Louisburg, N. C.	1857	Thomasville, N. C.
Jas. Patterson					1858	Iredell county, N. C.
Wm. I. Langdon	1814	Beaufort, N. C.	1848	North Carolina	1859	High Point, N. C.
Alexander Gattis	1819	Orange county, N. C.	1846	North Carolina	1859	Orange county, N. C.
William Anderson	1803	Virginia	1825	Virginia	1859	
Jas. H. Brent	1825	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1850	Warrenton, N. C.	1860	New Berne, N. C.
J. L. Newby	1818	Pasquotank county, N. C.	1855	North Carolina	1862	Fayetteville, N. C.
Benjamin F. Guthrie	1837	Chatham county, N. C.	1858	New Berne, N. C.	1862	Virginia.
John M. Gunn	1801	Iredell county, N. C.		North Carolina	1862	North Carolina.
Thompson Garrard	1800	Grange county, N. C.	1818	Virginia	1863	North Carolina.
John C. Brent	1837	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1858	New Berne, N. C.	1863	Columbus county, N. C.
R. C. Maynard	1815	Virginia	1837	Petersburg, Va.	1863	Granville county, N. C.
Medicus H. Hight	1833	Franklin county, N. C.	1855	North Carolina	1863	North Carolina.
David W. Doub	1816	North Carolina	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.	1864	Iredell county N. C.
John W. Tinnin	1817	Orange county, N. C.	1841	Raleigh, N. C.	1865	Pittsboro, N. C.
Joshua Bethel		Virginia	1829	Virginia	1865	Greensboro, N. C.
David B. Nicholson	1809	Iredell county, N. C.	1831	New Berne, N. C.	1866	Magnolia, N. C.
W. A. Smith		Wake county, N. C.	1860	Salisbury, N. C.	1867	Wake county, N. C.
Wm. H. Wheeler	1837	Darlington, S. C.	1858	New Berne, N. C.	1869	Leasburg, N. C.
John R. McIntosh	1799	Isle of Sky-Scotland		Mississippi	1869	Cumberland county, N. C.
Peter Doub	1796	Stokes county, N. C.	1818	Norfolk, Va.	1869	Greensboro, N. C.
Jeffrey H. Robbins	1829	Randolph county, N. C.	1859	North Carolina	1869	Clinton, N. C.

George W. Deems	1794	Baltimore	1835	Baltimore	1870	Baltimore.	
W. G. Tuttle	1846	North Carolina	1868	Abbeville, S. C	1870	Caldwell county, N. C.	
George C. Bynum	1841	Chatham county, N. C	1867	Wilmington, N. C	1871	Guilford county, N. C.	
James Reid	1795	Caswell county, N. C	1815	Virginia	1872	Greensboro, N. C.	
William Holmes	1798	Virginia	1824	Virginia	1873	Henderson, N. C.	
Alfred Norman	1804	Washington, N. C	1828	Raleigh, N. C	1873	Caswell county, N. C.	
William Barringer	1816	Cabarrus county, N. C.	1844	Columbia, S. C	1873	Greensboro, N. C.	
Numa F. Reid	1825	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1851	Salisbury, N. C.	1873	Wentworth, N. C.	
Charles E. Land	1833	Spartanburg, S. C	1858	Columbia, S. C	1874	Monroe, N. C.	
William F. Clegg	1827	Chatham county, N. C.	1852	Louisburg, N. C	1875	Chatham county, N. C.	
E. W. Thompson	1833	Kershaw, S. C.	1854	South Carolina	1877	Morganton, N. C.	
T. P. England	1845	McDowell county, N. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C	1878	Cleveland county, N. C.	
W. D. Meacham	1833	Richmond county, N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C	1878	Davidson county, N. C.	
J. P. Moore	1818	Person county, N. C	1853	Raleigh, N. C	1878	Halifax county, N. C.	
D. C. Johnson	1825	Randolph county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C	1878	Randolph county, N. C.	
W. M. D. Moore		South Carolina	1829	South Carolina	1879	North Carolina.	
John Jones	1810	Beaufort, N. C	1850	North Carolina	1879	Beaufort, N. C.	
I. H. Hill	1823	Randolph county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C	1880	Sladesville, N. C.	
William D. Lee	1833	Union, S. C	1869	Cheraw, S. C	1880	Shelby, N. C.	
Ira T. Wyche	1816	Virginia	1838	Greensboro, N. C	1880	LaGrange, N. C.	
A. A. Boshamer	1847	Caswell county, N. C	1870	Greensboro, N. C.	1881	Raleigh, N. C.	
J. S. Erwin	1829	Clarendon, S. C	1852	South Carolina	1881	King's Mountain, N. C.	
R. M. Brown	1831	Charlotte, N. C	1870		1881	Randolph county, N. C.	
Jos. T. Arrington		North Carolina	1879	Wilson, N. C	1881	Beaufort, N. C.	
William Closs	1809	Virginia	1833	Petersburg, Va	1882	Enfield, N. C.	
Bennett T. Blake	1800	Virginia	1824	Virginia	1882	Wake county, N. C.	
Braxton Craven	1822	Randolph county, N. C.	1857	Goldsboro, N. C	1882	Trinity College, N. C.	
Thomas A. Coon	1842	Alexander county, N. C.	1872	Fayetteville, N. C	1882	Mocksville, N. C.	
William M. Jordan	1813	Virginia	1833	Petersburg, Va	1882	Roxboro, N. C.	
Samuel B. Dozier		North Carolina	1853	Raleigh, N. C	1882	Lenoir county, N. C.	
J. R. Finley	1810	Baltimore, Md			1882	Warren county, N. C.	
Jeremiah Johnson	1811	Iredell county, N. C	1840	Mocksville, N. C	1883	North Carolina.	
Edward Schulken		Wilmington, N. C	1881	Durham, N. C	1883	Wilmington, N. C.	
Lemon Shell	1819	Brunswick county, Va	1844	Pittsboro, N. C	1883	Pineville, N. C.	

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NAMES.	BIRTH.		JOINED CONFERENCE.		DEATH.	
	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.
Oscar J. Brent	1829	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C.	1883	Wadesboro, N. C.
Hiram P. Cole	1843	Moore county, N. C.	1866	Fayetteville, N. C.	1883	Concord, N. C.
Charles C. Dodson	1832	Patrick county, Va.	1863	Greensboro, N. C.	1884	Winston, N. C.
Jesse H. Guinn	1841	Virginia	1871	Charlotte, N. C.	1884	Rockingham, N. C.
John W. Lewis		Randolph county, N. C.	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1885	Thomasville, N. C.
Robert P. Bibb		Nelson county, Va.	1836	Virginia	1885	Trinity College, N. C.
Henry Gray	1800	Williamston, N. C.	1838	Greensboro, N. C.	1885	Durham county, N. C.
John W. Floyd	1822	Granville county, N. C.	1845		1885	Boone, N. C.
Charles H. Phillips	1814	Moore county, N. C.	1850	Warrenton, N. C.	1885	Randolph county, N. C.
John N. Andrews	1826		1854	Pittsboro, N. C.	1885	
Baxter C. Phillips	1841	Moore county, N. C.	1867	Wilmington, N. C.	1885	Durham, N. C.
Lemuel H. Gibbons	1844	Lenoir county, N. C.	1870	Greensboro, N. C.	1885	Chatham county, N. C.
William I. Hull	1854	Cabarrus county, N. C.	1879	Wilson, N. C.	1885	King's Mountain, N. C.
James Mahoney	1812	Sumter county, S. C.	1869	New Berne, N. C.	1885	Goldsboro, N. C.
William H. Watkins	1847	Richmond county, N. C.	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.	1886	Stanly county, N. C.

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Correction.—On page 32 are figures reported to Conference as statistics. Upon revision of the tables the following are ascertained to be the correct figures:

Number of Sunday schools—886.

Number of Sunday school teachers—6,084.

Number of Sunday school scholars—50,983.

The "general minutes" on pages 67 and 68 give the correct figures.